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THE WEATHER—Showers this afternoon and tonight. Wednesday fair

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Ten Cents a Week

MORGAN PREFERS  
TO HOLD TONGUE

New York, July 14.—While J. P. Morgan & Co. consistently refuse to discuss the report of the Interstate Commerce Commission, severely censuring the directors under the administration of Charles N. Mellen for reckless and profligate financial operations estimated to have cost stockholders from \$65,000,000 to

REDHOT REPORT  
IS LAID BEFORE  
THE COMMITTEE

Washington, July 14.—With its unmeasured denunciation of the "mal-administration" of the New Haven financial affairs and the "criminal negligence" of directors the Interstate Commerce Commission's sensational report of its investigation of the New Haven railroad lines was today sent before the Senate Commission working to frame legislation for control of railroad finances, interlocking directorates and other subjects concerned in the investigation. Administration supporters declare that many of the recommendations of the committee agreed perfectly with portions of President Wilson's trust legislative program. The next step in New Haven affairs is now expected from the managers of the roads. A gigantic strike, which would tie up 128,000 miles of railroad, is imminent unless an agreement is reached, according to union officials.

Representatives of the engineers and firemen today declared that they would not accept arbitration of their wage differences under the Erdman act but would continue negotiations with their employers.

GIVE UP AFTER  
KILLING A MAN

By Associated Press.

Ebensburg, Pa., July 14.—Joseph and Samuel Seita entered the sheriff's office at the county jail today and asked to be locked up, saying they had killed Glatano Dino, near here last night. They said they had recently received a letter telling them that when a man approached them and demanded money they were to give it to him. Last night they were walking together when Dino approached and demanded \$100. Instead of complying with his demand they shot him dead, nine bullets entering his body. A charge of murder was placed against each of them and county detectives detailed to investigate the story.

REBELS SWEEPING  
AWAY OPPOSITION

By Associated Press.

On Board U. S. Ship California, Mazatlan, July 13.—Wireless to Santiago, July 14.—The Insurgents are assuming control of the Pacific coast of Mexico. Evacuations, occupations, armistices and the exchange of prisoners are everywhere reported to Rear Admiral Howard, commander of the American Pacific fleet, and the indications are that in a week the Federals will be in possession only of Mazatlan and Salina Cruz.

At San Rosalia, a mining port on the outer coast of Lower California, the Federals and Constitutionalists held a conference yesterday at which it was decided to bury the hatchet and make joint cause with Carranza. The same program is expected to take place at La Paz, another Lower Cali-



Late head of the New Haven Ry., whose administration of which resulted in his indictment in Massachusetts and a scathing denunciation by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

J. P. MORGAN.



Mr. Morgan refuses to talk concerning the report of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, which so unmercifully scored the transactions of the New Haven Ry. Morgan contented himself with a remark that the books and correspondence were turned over to the investigators.

BENJAMIN MADE  
EXALTED RULER

Denver, Colo., July 14.—Raymond Benjamin, of Napa, Cal., was elected grand exalted ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks to day, by acclamation.

OPERATORS ASK  
3-YEAR CONTRACT

Charleston, W. Va., July 14.—Delegates from all miners' local unions in the Kanawha district assembled here today to take action on the scale decided on last Saturday by officers of the United Mine Workers and the coal operators. The operators insist on a term of three years. Final settlement, it was said, would hinge on that one feature.

THREE MONTHS  
DROUGHT ENDED

Parkersburg, W. Va., July 14.—Heavy rains throughout West Virginia last night and this morning ended the drought that for three months wrought havoc to growing crops. Agriculturists said the downpour had saved the corn crop and added thousands of dollars to the value of orchards.

## Fort Guarding Mazatlan, Mexico

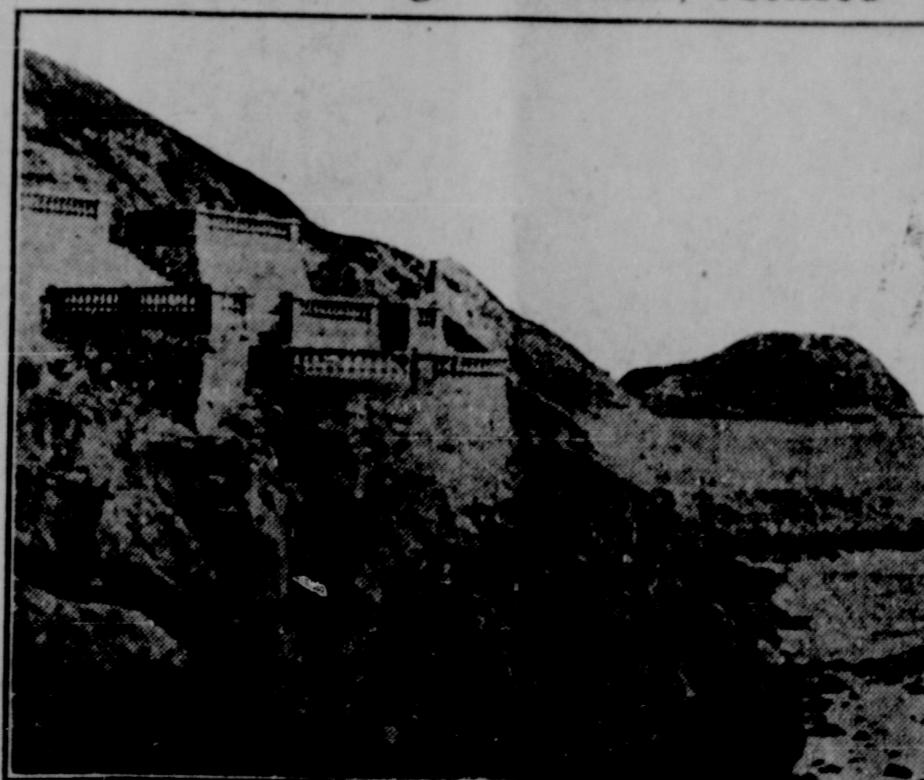


Photo by American Press Association.

**M**AZATLAN is ranked as the chief industrial and commercial port on the Pacific coast of Mexico. The fort sits on the side of a rocky promontory at the entrance of the harbor.

Mazatlan and Salina Cruz are the only places that at this time are not included in the evacuation plans of the Mexican Federals, and it is predicted that within one week all other points in Western Mexico will have passed into the hands of the Rebels.

JAMES C. M'REYNOLDS

Attorney General May Be Elevated to the Supreme Bench.

HUERTA STAYS ON  
BUT FAMILY FLEES

By Associated Press.

Washington, July 14.—General Huerta was not among the high official Mexican refugees on the liner Estange, according to early dispatches received today from General

Funston. The holding of the liner and the hurried repair of the railroad to Mexico City were taken as an indication that Huerta was ready to flee with members of his family, who sailed on the Estange.

WAKEFIELD  
WOMAN ON  
TRIAL AGAIN

By Associated Press.

New Haven, Conn., July 14.—Beside J. Wakefield was today placed on trial for a second time under an indictment for murder in the first degree for causing the death of her husband, William O. Wakefield, at Cheshire, on June 23, 1913. The woman was found guilty of murder last October 23, and sentenced to be hanged on March 4, 1914. Upon appeal the Supreme Court of Errors granted a new trial.

James Plew, who actually murdered Wakefield, was convicted in a separate trial and paid the penalty for the crime. Mrs. Wakefield and Plew had been close friends. The state alleged, in the first trial of Mrs. Wakefield, that the woman was the master mind in a plot to kill Wakefield.

MANY SUFFER  
IN COLLISION

By Associated Press.

Elyria, O., July 14.—Four persons were injured, one fatally, and thirty passengers were badly shaken up when an eastbound limited car on the Cleveland & Southwestern Interurban trolley line, collided with a work train consisting of two cars, was trying to pull into the siding to permit the limited to pass and was not quite in the clear when the limited crashed into it.

BLAZE OUSTS  
200 PERSONS

By Associated Press.

Cleveland, O., July 14.—Two hundred persons were early today driven into the street in night clothing and a score narrowly escaped with their lives, when fire, which started in the factory of the National Bedding Company, communicated to a dozen houses in the neighborhood, destroying four and badly burning others. The total loss is about \$75,000.

GLENN H. CURTISS

Built Flying Boat America  
For Transatlantic Flight.



Photo by American Press Association.

FRANCE REVIEWS HER  
INSTRUMENTS OF WAR

By Associated Press.

Paris, July 14.—Half a million persons celebrating the anniversary of the Fall of the Bastile at the President's annual review of the Paris garrison today, saw twenty military aeroplanes rise at the far end of the Longchamp race course and, in perfect alignment of fours, fly at full speed past the President's stand. A mighty roar of cheering swept over the crowd as 230,000 troops of cavalry, artillery, infantry and other branches marched before the review stand. Troops of all the garrisons in France also paraded and the military authorities figured that over 400 armed aeroplanes were on the wing at one time in various parts of the country.

# MEXICO CITY MUST FALL BY ASSAULT

Rebel Generals Decide Unanimously to Continue the War.

## WILL NOT ACCEPT MEDIATION

Francisco Carbal or Any Other Official Who May Be Named by the Huerta Administration Will Not Be Dealt With by Constitutionalists, Except in Arms—Battle Raging at San Luis Potosi.

El Paso, Tex., July 14.—That the City of Mexico must fall by assault is the positive declaration of the Constitutionalists. No mediation will be accepted, agents of Carranza assert. They were advised that Carranza had conferred with his generals by wire, and had received the unanimous decision of all his fighting forces that they should not mediate, but should continue the war. Carbal or any other official who may be named by the Huerta administration will not be dealt with by the Constitutionalists except in arms.

Villa is expected hourly at the border on business. The nature of his

coming is not stated, but it is presumed to be in connection with fitting his army with clothing. Villa will also consult while at the border with officials of the Pearson company and of the American Smelting and Refining company and other foreign interests desirous of resuming operations in Villa territory.

Constitutionalist officers here credit the reports that Huerta is to resign in favor of Francisco Carbal, and declare that their agents have telegraphed them that his resignation will come Thursday. They assert that Huerta is putting to death many political prisoners in Mexico City every day, getting rid of as many of his enemies as possible before he gives up the reins of government and sails for Europe.

Fighting is going on at San Luis Potosi, capital of the Mexican state of the same name. General Alvaro Obregon and his rebel troops are reported resting at Guadalajara after their victory over the federales in the Jalisco capital.

Villa and Obregon will rest while General Pablo Gonzales and his force is attacking San Luis Potosi. With the fall of San Luis, Villa is to return south with his forces and Obregon is to begin moving south also from Guadalajara. The three armies, commanded by Gonzales, Villa and Obregon, are then to advance in a fanlike formation against Mexico City.

## MAILMEN MEET

Newark, O., July 14.—With the largest number of delegates present in history of the Ohio Rural Letter Carriers' association, the twelfth annual convention opened here today. Good roads will be the principal object of discussion and action. Governor Cox spoke this afternoon, and Highway Commissioner James R. Marker and Agricultural Commissioner A. P. Sandles are on the program.

## DYRS AND WETS HAVE THE NAMES

Columbus, July 14.—Both the drys and wets announced they had enough names on their respective petitions for a statewide prohibition and anti-prohibition campaign to insure the submission of constitutional amendments this fall. The saloon issue promises to dwarf all political questions and candidates.

# M'REYNOLDS TO SUCCEED LURTON?

Attorney General Will Likely Be the President's Selection.

## DEMOCRAT TO FILL VACANCY

Little Thought Given to Suggestions That Former President Taft or Any Other Republican Be Appointed. Lehman or Davis to Succeed McReynolds In Event the Latter Is Advanced.

Washington, July 14.—Attorney General James C. McReynolds will in all likelihood be appointed to the supreme court to succeed Justice Lurton.

The president will not make an announcement as to Justice Lurton's successor for a considerable time. He has not definitely decided as yet to send the name of Mr. McReynolds to the senate, but there are strong reasons for believing that the attorney general ultimately will be his selection.

The only man whom the president has considered with the same degree of favor as Mr. McReynolds is Secretary of War Lindley M. Garrison. The secretary is eliminated, however, by the realization on the president's part that the Mexican situation contains too many possibilities for him to be willing to dispense with the services of his secretary of war.

Mr. Wilson is understood to be convinced that he should appoint a Democrat to the position and had given little thought to suggestions of appointing ex-President Taft or any other Republican.

Mr. McReynolds is a Tennessean, was Justice Lurton. His most conspicuous legal work was done as special counsel for the government in the suit against the tobacco trust. It was this which attracted the attention of

President Wilson and led to his appointment as attorney general.

If Mr. McReynolds is advanced to the supreme court, many here expect that the attorney generalship will go to Frederick W. Lehman, the St. Louis lawyer who served as an American representative at the mediation conference, or to John W. Davis, the present solicitor general.

## OHIOAN WINS BALLOON RACE

St. Louis, July 14.—The balloon Goodyear, piloted by R. A. D. Preston of Akron, O., won the national elimination race to determine the third American entrant in the international race for the James Gordon Bennett cup, which will start from Kansas City in October.

## PRELUDE TO A DIVORCE SUIT

London, July 14.—The divorce court has considered the petition of Countess Russell, formerly Miss Mollie Cooke, for restoration of her conjugal rights. The order is returnable in a fortnight. If the earl does not comply with the order, the divorce suit to which it is a preliminary move will begin. The earl and the countess were married in the United States in 1901, after the former had obtained a divorce in Nevada from his first wife, a daughter of Sir Claude Scott. The English courts decided that this divorce was invalid and the earl was sentenced to three months' imprisonment, which he served. Some time afterwards the house of lords granted him a free pardon. Meanwhile the earl's first wife obtained a divorce and the earl again married Mollie Cooke of Somerville.

## HEART BALM FOR GROCER

Delaware, O., July 14.—Mrs. Elizabeth Trapkey, a widow of middle age, was made defendant in a heart balm suit filed by John Underwood of Canton, who asks \$3,000 from the widow as a result of being jilted. Underwood claims he was to have married the widow this month and that on the strength of the understanding he sold his grocery at Canton, expecting to make his home with his intended bride, who conducts a boarding house. He declares being jilted has caused him great distress, mortification and disgrace.

If you wish beautiful, clear, white clothes, use Red Cross Ball Blue. At all good grocers.

SOUTHERN JUBILEE SINGERS AND PLAYERS.

WILL APPEAR AT CHAUTAUQUA

## BABE DROWNED

Wilmington, Del., July 14.—Nancy Carpenter, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. M. Carpenter of the wealthy Dupont family, was drowned by falling into a fountain pool on the country estate of Pierre S. Dupont.

## PREPARE PROTEST

St. Louis, July 14.—Petitions protesting against the conservancy act were circulated to be presented to Governor Cox at the called session of the legislature.

# FILE KICKS WITH COX

Claim Eastern Ohio Operators Violated Agreement.

Columbus, July 14.—A new phase was injected into the coal strike situation in eastern Ohio when President John Moore of the state miners' organization filed a protest with Governor Cox against alleged violations by the eastern operators of the agreement entered into when the strike was called.

It was alleged by Mr. Moore that the operators had discharged all the regular engineers, firemen, pumpers and others left in charge of the mines to keep them in good condition during the strike, and had put in subordinates, many of whom were nonunion men. This act of the operators was declared by Mr. Moore to be responsible for all the trouble now existing in Belmont county.

As a result of this new phase being injected, Governor Cox has decided to make a thorough investigation before he takes any action in dispatching troops to the scene of disorder. The governor dictated a circular letter to the eastern Ohio operators calling upon them to explain as to the charges made by President Moore.

No further reports of disorders in the Belmont county district have been reported to the governor.

## WIRE FLASHES

Drought in southern Ohio has already done great damage to crops.

When he was feeding a threshing machine near Evansville, Ind., Elmer Hautschiff's right arm was torn off at the elbow.

A large number of cattle, sheep and hogs were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the live stock sheds of the Sullivan Packing company at Detroit.

Leading politicians of all parties in Kansas are plainly worried over the refusal of women to register so they may vote at the statewide primary election Aug. 4.

## OHIO DROUGHT KNOCKED OUT

Columbus, July 14.—Rain broke a drought in central and southern Ohio of seventy-eight days' duration. To the corn crop alone the downpour is estimated to have a cash value of \$2,000,000. The rain was general, covering the entire state, coming from the northwest and being most severe in that section. A decided drop in temperature followed the precipitation.

Lightning struck an oil tank at the National Refining company plant at Findlay, starting a fire which destroyed the tank and three others, containing naphtha, fuel oil and turp.

Farm buildings and crops were damaged in Wyandot county by wind and lightning. Lightning killed several horses and struck a Lutheran church near Napoleon. Crops also were damaged.

At Bellefontaine nine barns on the fair grounds were bowed over by the high winds.

If you wish beautiful, clear, white clothes, use Red Cross Ball Blue. At all good grocers.

## LINEMAN KILLED

St. Louis, July 14.—Nile Barnett died a few minutes after workmen had rescued him from the top of a pole at Edwardsville, Ill., where he came in contact with a high tension wire.

## XENIA MAN DROWNS

Omaha, Neb., July 14.—Lewis S. Sanborn of Xena, O., was drowned at Valley, Neb.

FRANK M. FULLERTON, Washington C. H., C.

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CYKO PAPER

VIRGINIA TO VOTE ON LIQUOR ISSUE

Richmond, Va., July 14.—The county clerks have forwarded to the secretary of state petitions signed by 69,936 votes asking for a statewide prohibition election.

MONEY! MONEY! MONEY!

I am in a position to make better terms on loans than at any time in 27 years. Am loaning money in Fayette, Ross, Pickaway, Madison and Clark counties. MUST BE A REASON. Don't close a loan until you see me and know why they get money of me.

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TELEPHONES—Home No. 137. Bell, Main No. 170.

## Mr. Reid Denies It.

Mr. Charles A. Reid, of this county, who is making a strenuous speaking campaign for the nomination for Secretary of State on the Republican ticket, and with very flattering prospect for success, too, made a speech at Canton Friday evening.

The press reports of the Canton meeting credited Mr. Reid with stating that the Governor of this state was a political grand-stander.

Many of Mr. Reid's friends in Fayette county were amazed at the report, especially in view of the fact that the Governor of the state, in a speech he delivered at Good Hope last February, used this language in referring to Mr. Reid:

"I don't agree with your representative, but I have a great deal of respect for his intelligence and his conscientiousness. His personality is as forceful and lovable as that of any man I have ever known in politics. It is a credit to American citizenship to find a man of the fine fibre of Mr. Reid, regardless of politics."

A higher compliment could not be given by one political friend to another, and coming from a political adversary, it was decidedly out of the ordinary, even for these times of improved ethics in politics.

Mr. Reid unqualifiedly denies having made any such statement in his speech at Canton as that credited to him.

People have long outgrown that condition of gullibility which accepts personal abuse as a sufficient answer to argument, and Mr. Reid's denial of the report that he called Ohio's Chief Executive a grandstader fully justifies his friends who believed that he recognized political decency, believed in meeting argument with argument, matching fact against fact, and fully realized that the people of this great state of Ohio would not take kindly to personal abuse of the man chosen to occupy the position of Chief Executive.

Not even the staunchest personal and political friends of the Governor claim that he is infallible in political judgment, but, for any one, even a political opponent, to charge the Governor of the state with being a "grandstader," with being insincere in his position on public questions, is inexcusable, decidedly bad taste and disastrous in the results it would bring to anyone who resorts to such tactics.

The attitude which the Governor of this state has always assumed toward Mr. Reid, is so complimentary, so charitable, and in such contrast to that which Mr. Reid was reported to have assumed toward the Governor, that his friends were shocked.

There have always been, in this country, two types of men—Progressives and Conservatives—and there probably always will be. These men are bound to differ on questions of public interest and it is right that they should do so, but that does not mean that they should abuse each other personally. Political opponents can and should be fair with each other and confine their discussions to public questions.

The present Governor of Ohio has been extraordinarily active. Since he assumed the office, many decided changes have taken place and it is not remarkable that some people are slow to accept all that has been done and give it their unqualified approval. The existence of that condition, however, does not warrant making the charge that the Governor is a "grandstader," and the Herald is glad that Mr. Reid denies that he made such a statement.

More Than  
Half Our Fires  
Preventable

Socialism Must  
Be Tyranny  
Or Failure

By JOSEPH O. HAMMITT, Chief  
New York City Fire Prevention  
Bureau

AN EXTENSIVE CAMPAIGN OF  
EDUCATION THROUGH THE  
COUNTRY SHOWING THAT  
EACH FAMILY IS BEING TAXED  
ABOUT TWENTY-SEVEN DOLLARS  
A YEAR FOR SMOKE WOULD  
PROBABLY AWAKEN THE PUBLIC  
CONSCIENCE CONCERNING THE  
SUPREME IMPORTANCE OF FIRE  
PREVENTION. MORE THAN HALF  
OF OUR FIRES COULD POSITIVE-  
LY BE PREVENTED. THIS WOULD  
SAVE THE COUNTRY MILLIONS  
OF DOLLARS.

There is no excuse or palliation for our enormous fire waste. We have diagnosed the disease; we have studied its causes; we have DIS-  
COVERED THE FIRE GERM, so  
to speak. ITS NAME IS CARE-  
LESSNESS. We have also discov-  
ered the remedy—fire prevention.

## PYTHIAN SISTERS.

Regular meeting of Washington  
Temple No. 380, Tuesday evening  
July 14, at 7:30 o'clock.

Laura L. Eyre, M. E. C.

Ida C. Gillespie, W. of R. &amp; C.

## Poetry For Today

## SUMMER IN TOWN.

Summer in the city—  
Geemin' is hot!  
(Those resort banditti  
Would take all I've got!)  
Soot and noise and labor,  
Want and woe and crime—  
Do you like it, neighbor?  
Good old summertime!

Still, there is the trolley,  
Going to the beach  
Why be melancholy?  
Let us go and teach  
(On the sand reclining)  
Some fair maiden to swim,  
Afterward some dining,  
If that be your whim.

Electric fans a-whirring,  
Service of the best,  
Outside, motor purring,  
Home, a bath and rest!  
Summer in the city;  
Gee! One almost melts!  
But how I do pity  
People somewhere else!

—Chicago News.

## Weather Report

Washington, July 14.—For Ohio: Partly cloudy Tuesday, probably preceded by showers; Wednesday fair.

For Illinois—Fair Tuesday and probably Wednesday.

For Lower Michigan—Partly cloudy Tuesday; probably showers and cooler in north portion; Wednesday fair.

For Tennessee, Kentucky and Indiana—Generally fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

## WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 7 p.m. Monday:

	Temp.	Weather.
Boston	66	Cloudy
New York	74	Cloudy
Washington	72	Cloudy
Buffalo	72	Cloudy
Columbus	71	Cloudy
Chicago	74	Cloudy
St. Louis	94	Clear
St. Paul	78	Cloudy
Los Angeles	70	Cloudy
New Orleans	80	Cloudy
Seattle	66	Cloudy
Tampa	92	Cloudy

## Weather Forecast.

Washington, July 14.—Indications for tomorrow:

Ohio—Fair.

## WIT AND NEAR-WIT

## Patricia's Bathing Suit.

The bathing suit Patricia wears would make the prudish frown, although it really covers more than did her winter gown. Oh, Fashion is a freakish dame—that much we can't deny. How many men would now be blind if looking cost an eye!—Baltimore Sun.

## Slightly Mixed.

He—My dear, our neighbor, Mr. Smith, the paper says this morning, is a bachelor of arts.

She—Then the paper doesn't know what it's talking about. You know as well as I do that Smith is a married man.

## Immune From Darkness.

"England doesn't take to baseball." "Pity, too. They could play all kinds of innings."

"What do you mean?"

"Why, I've often heard that the sun never sets on the British empire."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## All Present.

"My dear fellow, you rich men are lucky. Here when you want a country home, you have all kinds of sites about you."

"Yes—excluding parasites."—Life.

## Playing it Safe.

"Yes, my son is going to spend a few days in the city."

"He'll get buckooed sure."

"Well, he's sure of car fare home. He's wearing a \$10 bill underneath a porous plaster on his chest."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Catarrh, once known as the "King of Diseases," is a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood vessels, and so strengthening the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much confidence in their product that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

TEDDY WON  
BY WOMEN

New York, July 14.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt wants women delegates elected to the state constitutional convention next year. He says so emphatically in a letter which he has written to Lillian D. Wald, chairman of a committee that is striving to that end. The colonel says it will be a "rank injustice" if women are not elected to the convention.

WOMAN WINS  
JUST THE SAME

Washington, July 14.—Miss Attna Heiner will be reappointed postmaster at Hocking Rock, O., on the recommendation of Senator Pomerene, although in a competitive examination for the place she was beaten by a man, William C. McKee.

MURDER MYSTERY  
BELIEVED SOLVED

Schenectady, N. Y., July 14.—The Mohawk River mystery which has been puzzling the authorities for several weeks is believed to have been solved. District Attorney Blessing announced that he was positive that the victim of the tragedy was a Polish woman known as Eva, and employed as an attendant at the Hotel Foster in this city for two weeks, and that her slayer is now in New York city, where he went ten days after the murder was committed in a little shack within a mile of the spot where the torso was found in the river. It is known the two began living together May 25 in the small building, which was furnished with expensive furniture.

## CHURCH RAZED

Dayton, July 14.—The highest degree of heat that has prevailed in this city for thirty years was broken by rain, wind and lightning. The Ebenezer church, situated north of the city, was destroyed.

## UTAH'S NATURAL BRIDGE.

The Secret of Its Origin Somewhat Puzzles the Scientists.

What is thought to be the largest natural bridge in the world is that of southwestern Utah, known as the George natural bridge. The total length of this great work of nature is about 200 feet; its width—i. e., the "roadway"—is about thirty-five feet; the span in the clear is about ninety feet. At the base there flows a small water course which, during the hot months, dwindles to a mere rivulet.

Scientists are somewhat perplexed to explain the means by which nature produced this bridge. It is thought hardly possible that it could have been created by water erosion, unless, as was most unlikely, there was a very large and swift stream flowing at the point where the brook now runs.

Some authorities are inclined to the view that this bridge was due to volcanic action, occurring at some remote geological period.

Although long known to the Indians, it was not until about fifteen years ago that white men became familiar with the sight of it. Mining prospectors were the first of the whites to see it, since it is located in the heart of a very rugged and inaccessible region.

The span is composed of a dark brown sandstone of unusual hardness, and the thickness of the span is twenty feet or more.

Engineers who have examined this bridge assert that it is perfectly safe and secure and that it is fully capable of sustaining an immense weight, especially as the span is free from flaws or seams.—Washington Star.

## Birds That Fight Eagles.

In Foula, one of the Shetland islands, the natives make a business of rearing skua gulls in order to rid the islands of eagles that congregate there and commit many depredations. The magnificent red sandstone cliffs that skirt the northwestern coast became a favorite haunt of the eagles, and in this inaccessible spot they increased so rapidly that they became a terror to the farmers and fishermen who dwell on this isolated spot. The skua gulls are also strong and fierce and the inveterate foes of the eagle. In battle the gulls are nearly always victorious, and so the inhabitants of Foula hit upon the novel plan of feeding and caring for the skua gulls, which, though formidable to their feathered enemies, are very peaceful and docile when brought in contact with man.—Dallas News.

Handicapped.

"Down in my part of the country if a man lays 50 cents on a stump and hoots like an owl he can get a quart of wildcat whisky."

"That wouldn't help me any. When I'm very dry I can't hoot"—Baltimore Sun.

## Nature's Meal!

New Flour Compound, guaranteed by the makers to correct indigestion, etc. We will make 50 loaves of it tomorrow, to start with. If it does not help the worst case of stomach trouble or indigestion we are told to refund your money. A big Chicago baker uses it in buns, rolls and pie-crust with remarkable success. We will wrap the Nature's Meal Bread in "Glad Bread" wrappers, and your grocer can supply you, or get it at

## SAUER'S BAKERY, Butter-Krust Headquarters

SENATE FOR  
OLD MILEAGE

Washington, July 14.—Fifty-five senators voted to stand by the old mileage allowance in the legislative, executive and judicial bill. Only seven voted to instruct the senate conferees on the bill to recede and accept the house provision reducing the mileage.

## JUSTICE AND LUNCHEON.

They Seemed to Clash a Trifle, So the Court Made a Change.

It was formerly the practice of the supreme court to sit from 12 noon until 4 o'clock continuously on each day that it was in session. From time to time, as the afternoon progressed, the justices, one or two at a time, would slip out of their seats, snatch a bite of luncheon and return. Sometimes as many as four or five of them would be off the bench at once. They usually had their luncheon brought to them by their messengers and ate it in the little curtained recess behind the bench, and as the argument progressed there could be plainly heard in the courtroom the clink of knife and fork on plate and what O. Henry has called "the crash of dishes on the American plan."

One day a lawyer pleading a case made bold to enter a protest. He most solemnly inquired if he could count upon the continuous and undivided attention of even one justice to the thread of his argument. "The personnel of the court has been twice entirely changed since I began," he said plaintively.

The court deigned no response, but on the following Monday it was announced from the bench that a recess for luncheon thereafter would be taken every day from 2 to 2:30 o'clock and that the court would sit until 4:30 o'clock every afternoon.—World's Work.

## Playwright and Producer.

A good theatrical story was told by Jerome K. Jerome at the O. P. club dinner to dramatic authors.

"I spoke to an eminent producer not long ago," he said, "about a play a young friend of mine had sent to him. He remembered it.

"Ah, yes," he said. "Not at all bad. There's an idea in it."

"Later on it was produced, and after the show I went behind."

"Well," said the eminent producer, "what did you think of it?"

"Oh, all right!" I said. "It seems all correct. But what about that idea?"

"He didn't seem to understand."

"The idea?" I reminded him; "you said there was an idea in it."

"He remembered then. 'Ah, yes,' he said. 'Yes; we had to cut that out.'"

Pall Mall Gazette.

FINE VARIETIES OF  
TOILET POWDERS.

A Good Drug Store is the place to procure Toilet Powder and the better the store the better the powders are apt to be, because the principle of quality extends throughout the stock. The people of Washington C. H. and vicinity will find here a

# NEARLY ELECTROCUTED BY TOUCHING CONDUIT

Worley Melvin, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Melvin, of South North street, was nearly electrocuted at the King Ice Cream plant on South Fayette street shortly before eleven o'clock Tuesday morning, when he touched an electric wire conduit which was highly charged with electricity. He is now out of danger.

The lad, who is employed at the King plant, was busy at work, when Orie Bennett, another youth employed at the plant, had his hand burned when he accidentally placed his hand near the conduit containing the highly charged wire.

The melvin boy saw what had happened, and as he had frequently placed his hand upon the conduit, he walked across the room and remarking that he could touch the pipe without being hurt, laid his hand upon it.

Instantly his body was charged with a high voltage of electricity and his screams for help were quickly silenced by the deadly current which

coursed through his body and into the wet floor, his body forming a means of grounding the current. Fellow employees tried to rescue the lad, but they were shocked before they could lay hands upon him.

Finally, after holding to the conduit a few moments, the lad dropped limp to the floor, to all appearances stone dead. A doctor was summoned at once and administered restoratives until the heart began to beat very faintly, when the lad was rushed to the Fayette Hospital where where he remained unconscious for some time but finally grew stronger and revived.

He was later taken to his home, very weak, but apparently out of danger.

Steps were at once taken to prevent a reoccurrence of such an accident. Some of the insulation had allowed the charged wire to come in contact with the conduit, with the result that the protection to the wire had become a thing of death.

## ADDING MEMBERS TO THE Y. M. C. A.

### STORM BRINGS HONEY TO MANY CITIZENS

Several citizens in the neighborhood of the old fair grounds have been enjoying a feast of honey since the storm Monday afternoon, when a huge limb from one of the giant oaks on the old fair grounds was twisted off and sent crashing to the ground.

It was soon discovered that the limb contained a large cavity and honey bees had filled the cavity with honey. A man who was not afraid of the stinging insects obtained a saw and axe and was rewarded with several pounds of honey.

Others cut into the limb and obtained a goodly supply of honey the first man had failed to find.

### NEW XENIA BANK

Articles of incorporation have been taken out for The Farmers & Merchants Bank, a new institution to begin action in a determined effort to bring the Association's roll to a greater figure than it has ever heretofore enjoyed.

The work will continue indefinitely and its first results will be known next Monday evening when the workers meet to report. The committee is composed of fifteen well known Washington men and its success is not even doubted.

The effort being made along this line is the same as is being manifested in every department of the Association work since, at the close of the successful \$25,000 campaign, the directors buckled down to make it at Xenia. The incorporators are George Little, C. L. Darlington, C. H. Little, J. C. Dodds, H. L. Sayre.

# FOUR PLACES ENTERED BY BURGLARS AT GOOD HOPE

Pair of Robbers Force Way Into Two Stores, Elevator Office and D. T. & I. Depot at Good Hope During Night and Escape With Small Sum of Money and Quite a Number of Old Coins.

Burglars visited Good Hope sometime during Monday night, entering the D. T. & I. depot, Moore & Black's elevator office; Ace Murray's place of business and the store of N. A. Divens, obtaining in all a very small sum in small coins, a box of cigars and several old coins.

In each instance the men gained entrance by forcing a window, either breaking the glass or fastenings on the window. It was evident that they had taken their time to their work, and had started at Ace Murray's butcher shop and ice cream parlor, where they found a small amount in change, and made off with the change and a box of cigars, leaving the interior of the store badly torn up.

The N. A. Divens building, formerly occupied by the postoffice, was next visited, and a number of old

coins of small value, removed from a show case. A diligent search had been made for other valuables, but nothing else was missing.

At the elevator office everything had been ransacked but not a penny rewarded the efforts of the burglars.

A window of the depot was forced and a suit-case in the baggage room was rifled, but nothing of value taken from it. A chewing gum slot machine, containing a handful of one-cent pieces, was carried down the railroad track a short distance, broken open and the gum and coins removed.

About one o'clock Tuesday morning a woman residing near the Murray place of business, heard a noise, and looking out saw two persons evidently young men, walking down the street, and it is supposed that the pair had just finished their work at the Murray place and were headed for the next place they had picked out.

It is believed that the pair was either from Greenfield or this city, but as the town has been visited a number of times by a gang of Greenfield thieves, it is thought the men came from that town.

Weather for Ohio—Thunder showers this afternoon and tonight.

Wednesday fair

### LIGHTNING STRIKES EAST STREET HOME

The residence of Mrs. Ruth Dahl, on East street, was struck by lightning during the storm which passed over the city between five and six o'clock Monday evening.

The bolt hit the tower, ran down the tower to the roof and knocked off a few shingles. No one was stunned by the bolt, and the damage done to the residence was very slight.

### CEMETERY TREES SUFFER GREATLY

The wind storm of Monday afternoon created havoc in the Washington cemetery, and in addition to tearing off scores of limbs and twisting several small trees off, the wind tore out the largest tree in the cemetery, a huge elm standing near the west-

ern part of the cemetery.

Driveways were strewn with broken boughs and the twisted trees were in evidence at various points in the beautiful cemetery. Immediately after the storm the well-kept grounds hardly resembled the Washington cemetery.

Men were put to work immediately to clean up the broken branches and remove the fallen trees, so that within the next few days scarred trees will alone tell the tale of ruin which swept over the grounds.

### BARN TWISTED SILO WRECKED

At New Holland Monday afternoon, the storm was almost as fierce as it was in this city.

A silo on the Lote Thomas farm was wrecked, and a barn owned by Scott Taylor, was twisted several feet off its foundation.

No other serious damage is reported.

# LIGHTNING BOLT KILLS TWO MEN NEAR WATERLOO

James Daney and Carl Gerhardt Instantly Killed in Barn Where They Had Taken Refuge From Storm. Companion Escapes Without Injury—Young Man Leaves Bride of Few Weeks.

Two men who had taken refuge in a barn a few miles from Waterloo in the Cronover Mill neighborhood, were instantly killed by a thunder bolt Monday afternoon.

The dead are: James Daney, 70, a civil war veteran, and his grandson Carl Gerhardt, 19.

The tragedy occurred on the Harry Beale farm.

S. M. Kendrick, father-in-law of the young man, was standing within a few feet of the two men when the fatal bolt fell, but escaped without serious injury.

The men had been doctoring a sick horse in the barn, and the two men who were killed had been standing near each other, in the feedway of the barn, while Kendrick was in the stall where the horse was lying.

When the bolt fell one of the men tumbled backward over the manger, and the other fell out of the doorway. Death was instantaneous. Small purple spots upon the bodies of the two men were the only marks left by the shaft.

A few very small holes were torn in the barn where the bolt entered.

Young Gerhardt leaves a bride of a few weeks, who is nearly crazed with grief.

The remains were taken in charge by undertaker Snider of Mt. Sterling, and prepared for burial.

Funeral services will be held some time Wednesday.

### FORMER MAYOR PLACED ON TRIAL

Athens, Ohio, July 14.—Former Mayor Charles H. Slaughter, of this city, was placed on trial today on a charge of having embezzled \$200 from Athens county, which had been paid in as fines.

Alleged discrepancies in his accounts were reported by a State Examiner. The former Mayor is said to owe the city of Athens about \$4,000 in fines collected.

Other Ohio municipal executives are to be tried on similar charges, as a result of examinations made by Examiner Bliss and others.

Don't overlook that part of the law, that you took an oath to faithfully comply with, to the effect

"That in the formation of supervision districts, consideration shall be given to the number of teachers employed, the amount of consolidation, and centralization, etc."

Do not overlook the fact that we already have centralization in considerable territory, hence it follows that the work of the District Superintendent in this territory, is less burdensome.

Do not employ any County Superintendent, under any circumstances for more than one year. If he is not a success, you will be rid of him at the end of the term, if he is successful, you can re-employ him. If hired for only one year, it will be an incentive for him to make an honest effort, but if for three years, he may not be so interested.

Do not forget that this is a new law, that has been urged by many of the Educational Societies, for many years. It may or may not be all that some of us desired but do not blight its prospects by using it to the injury of tax payers, and rewards to the political worker.

A County Taxpayer.

### BAINBRIDGE HAS REAL "WHITE HOPE"

Bainbridge has a "white hope." Yessir. A real live "white hope." He is Earl Pepple, 20, a brother of John Pepple, the well known boxer on the D. T. & I. The bouncing pugilist weighs close to 225 pounds and is confident that he can knock the shine off Jack Johnson if given the chance—and seriously, it is not improbable that he may eventually get a chance at the dusky giant. His trainers give encouraging news, very encouraging.

Pepple is at present in the service

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Georgia Freestone Peaches 10c pound

3 pounds 25c, 40c basket

Southern Tomatoes 10c per pound

Hyer's Home Tomatoes 15c per pound

CIRCLEVILLE SOLID CABBAGE ..... 4c pound

ZIMMERMAN'S GREEN CORN ..... 24c dozen

GOOD COOKING APPLES ..... 4 lbs for 25c

FRESH BLACKBERRIES every day 10c qt \$3.00 bu

TALLEWANDA GINGER ALE

The superb hot weather drink.

Delicious and healthful. Pints 10c. Quarts 15c

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## We Close on Wednesday Afternoon

of the United States Navy and is located off Honolulu. He is a Bainbridge boy and has always been more or less proficient with the gloves. A few years ago he was matched to fight Billy Palmer, the local boy, in this city, but the match was called off.

Pepple is kept in constant training and is being matched right along with navy pugs and such fist artists as can be encountered along the coast and his almost unblemished record is an indication of future big successes in the ring. The lure of the ring and the arena seems to be in the Pepple blood. John Pepple is somewhat of a wrestler and only last week took a match from a much touted Indiana wrestler at Indianapolis.

### Making a Beach.

Weymouth owes the beginning of its popularity as a health and pleasure resort to an accident. In 1763 a west of England doctor whose name is now forgotten advised one of his patients, Ralph Allen, a prominent philanthropist of Bath—to bathe his body in the open sea." By mere chance Allen selected Weymouth, and the first wooden bathing machine was built. Then crowds gathered to watch the "madman" enter the water. But the patient got better, told the Duke of Gloucester all about it, and—Weymouth was made.—London Tattler.

### A Declaration of Independence.

Copy Reader—Do we spell trusts with a capital T?

Editor—Spell it with a small "t," just to let 'em know we're not afraid of them.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Bell—Main 48

Home 50

## Dr. F. J. Morris

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# Washington's Chautauqua

## HAS THE GREATEST PROGRAM EVER OFFERED IN THE STATE

We call attention of the people of Washington and Fayette county to it is to hear this Chautauqua there the fact that an institution of greatest worth is to be brought into our midst, beginning Thursday and continuing for one week.

Note the strong program printed elsewhere in this paper—A program if bought independently that would have cost us at least \$2,500. The company—Coit-Alber, of Cleveland—furnish a fine waterproof auditorium, the most up-to-date and magnificent in equipment, lighting, seating and stage, that has ever been used by any Chautauqua. The fourteen towns just closed all report with the highest praise of the programs, equipment and service.

Union City, Pa., says "The grandest event ever held in the city. A veritable inspiration to every man, woman and child in this city and for miles around. Splendid talent every day. Over 750 tickets sold for next year."

Other places that were slow in getting off their 750 tickets and had to make it up, say: "If we only had

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. George Carey has returned from a two weeks' visit in Elmira, N. Y.

Miss Virginia Campbell left Tuesday for Bainbridge, to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Campbell.

A fraternity dance, a Pan Hellenic affair, for which the various fraternity fellows are sponsors, will be a social event of the week in the younger set, Friday night.

The dance will be held at the K. of P. hall, the committee on invitation Hugh Kennedy, Harold Craig, and Carl Reed.

Mrs. P. A. Altland entertained a few friends quite informally Monday evening, in compliment to her sister, Mrs. Buck, of Newark.

Mrs. Bicknell of Chicago was also an out of town guest.

### SPECIAL NOTICE

I will keep open every Wednesday afternoon and evening for the accommodation of those who cannot come in the morning.

d&w H. GLICKSMAN.

### THE OLD RELIABLE STILL IN THE LEAD

Georgia peaches, stock fine, 7c per pound; Jumbo bananas 15c per doz.; Late valencia sweet oranges 30c per dozen; California lemons, stock very fine, 30c doz.; fancy apples, 4 lbs for 25c; Circleville cabbage, Texas onions, Spanish onions, canteloupes, water melons 20c and 35c each; home grown cucumbers, 5c each; New tomatoes, 10c per pound. Home grown green beans 10c per pound. Very fine new potatoes 50c per pk; 25c per 1/2 pk. Starlight flour 65c per sack, every sack guaranteed to give satisfaction. 25 pounds best cane granulated sugar \$1.25.

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JEWELERS  
Washington C. H., Ohio

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. McCoy returned from Dayton Monday evening.

Mrs. Hoover and two daughters, Emma and Verma, of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hoover, of Bowersville, were motoring guests of Miss Emma Mershon and Mr. Ed Mershon Sunday.

Howard DeWitt has been on a motoring trip to Detroit, Mich., Dayton, Toledo and Columbus. He is now in Cincinnati.

Mr. James Sylvester was the guest Monday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sylvester, enroute to his home in Bainbridge.

Mrs. G. C. Henkle and daughter, Miss Beatrice, and Miss Gladys Henkle, of Chicago, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. A. C. Henkle, left Tuesday afternoon for Mt. Sterling, where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Sylvester is visiting her brother, Mr. S. O. Clyborn, in Sabina.

Mrs. Paul Palmer has returned from visits in Geneva, Ind., and Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant DeWitt, son Jack and daughter Miss Nelle, made a motoring trip of 150 miles Monday, visiting Hartford City, Ind., Union City, Ind., Dayton and other cities, enroute. Mr. DeWitt claims the record trip having made the entire trip in 5 hours and twenty minutes, on four and a half gallons of gasoline. Miss Ruby Bowdell accompanied the DeWitts from Hartford City to be their guest for the remainder of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Fisher, of Mishawka, Ind., are visiting Mrs. Mrs. Fisher's sister, Miss Anna Miller, and the Misses Adams.

Miss Jennie McCoy, who was called from Washington, D. C., to the home of her brother, Mr. Frank McCoy, of Bloomingburg, by the death of her mother, Mrs. Eleanore McCoy, returned to her home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Parrett, of Mt. Sterling, are motoring guests here today.

Mr. A. L. Cherry, of Ghormley Station, is a business visitor in town today.

Mrs. Frank Hays left Tuesday for a two weeks' visit with relatives in Marion and Springfield.

Earl Horney is visiting friends in Huntington and Wayne, W. Va. He expects to be away a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McLean, daughter Katharine, with their guests, Mrs. George Fabb and son Charles, of Indianapolis, Ind., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Ridgle in London, Sunday.

Mr. Jerome Taylor was a business visitor in Columbus Monday.

Dr. Roy Brown was called to Columbus professionally Monday.

Doris Carr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Carr, was able to leave the Fayette Hospital after a two weeks' stay, and return to her home in Jeffersonville.

### DAMAGE CASE TO COME UP MONDAY

The damage case of Alvin Stookey against Humphrey Jones, will be taken up Monday of next week, and Judge Frank Davis, of Clermont county will preside.

The case will be tried before a jury and a special venire will probably be issued this week.

MANUSCRIPT COVERS.

The Berkshire Line—assorted colors in stock at Rodecker's News Stand \$1.00 per box.

### MILKING GAME TO BE RENEWED?

Detroit, Mich., July 14.—The announcement that at least \$1,000,000 is to be spent at once on terminal facilities of the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railroad was made yesterday after a meeting of the directors of the road in this city. Ultimately, it is said, \$6,000,000 to \$7,000,000 more will be spent in developing the Detroit terminal.

While it was denied by President Kurn, of the D. T. & I., that the men who attended a directors' meeting here were connected in any way with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company or any other railroad, it is openly predicted that ultimately the property bought recently through a receivership in the United States Court is to be absorbed by a larger system seeking terminal facilities in Detroit.

**MISS NELDA JAEGER,**  
ONLY WOMAN POLICE JUDGE IN AMERICA

Tacoma, Wash., July 14.—Miss Nelda Jaeger is the only woman police judge in the United States. This clever lawyer, who bears a high reputation at the bar in this city, was appointed because of her activity in child welfare work. She presides daily over one of the police courts here and her decisions have met with public praise.



MISS NELDA JAEGER

### "SOLOMON'S TEMPLE" STILL GOES UPWARD

Another addition has been added to "Solomon's Temple," as the little "private" grandstand on Columbus avenue opposite the ball grounds has been dubbed.

The stand was erected so Jackson and his friends could remain on their own premises and view the ball game, and when the stand was erected, the management of the ball team promptly increased the height of the canvas about the ball grounds in order that no one might witness the game without paying the customary fee.

Realizing that it was his move next if he wanted to witness the game, the owner of the grand stand promptly increased the height of the stand in order that the game might be in full view. This increase has been made several times until the stand now reaches a height which calls for more canvas if the "grandstanders" are prevented from witnessing the games.

The presence of the stand is so self explanatory that the passerby invariably comments upon its presence.

It is claimed that the proprietor charges a fee of ten cents and invariably has his grandstand packed with base ball enthusiasts.

### GROVE RUINED AND HAY IS BLOWN AWAY

The beautiful grove near the R. W. Merchant home in Jasper township, was completely ruined by the wind storm of Monday afternoon, and several hay stacks were blown completely away.

The trees in the grove were twisted off, torn up by the roots, and left in a tangled mass. The roadway was completely blocked by the tree trunks and limbs. The storm apparently centered on the Merchant farm.

Part of a hay stack a quarter of a mile distant from the Merchant farm was picked up and carried across two fields and deposited against the Merchant home.

Other farms in the neighborhood of Plymouth and Milledgeville suffered heavily, and in addition to much timber being destroyed, and fences blown down and scattered, several buildings were partly wrecked and crops damaged.

Howard Fogle, in attempting to drive across the bridge, discovered that his horse was being shocked, and the animal backed off before any serious damage was done.

### LIGHTNING FREAK

Lightning struck a pitchfork carried by William Wilson, in Ross county, Monday afternoon, and the man was probably fatally injured.

Wilson and others were leaving the harvest field when the bolt fell and shattered the pitchfork he carried. At last reports the man was still unconscious. Practically all the hair on the man's head was burned off by the flash.

Regular meeting of Crusade Castle K. G. E. 7:30 p. m. Wednesday. A full attendance is desired.

Chas. Householder, N. C.

J. F. Adams, M. of R.

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10c Bars Peroxide	2 for 15c
5c Bars Cocoa Castile	7 for 25c

We recommend especially the Peroxide Bath Soap on account of antiseptic qualities.

The season of the year is at hand when you will be compelled to replenish your

### Supply of Jelly Glasses

We are making a special price this week on the squat-shape jelly tumblers. In the last two years this tumbler has taken the place of the old style tall glass. Regular price 25c per dozen.

**Special this week 20c doz.**

**Blackberries from the hills 10c qt. \$3.20 bu**

**Received today our first shipment of Indiana Gem Canteloupes.**

**Extra fine quality. 2 for 25c.**

### MADISON COUNTY SELLS HER BONDS

London, Ohio, July 14.—An issue of \$55,000 of Madison County road bonds sold to Weil, Roth & Co., of Cincinnati, Ohio, at a premium of \$1,122.

### BUILDING WRECKED AT BLOOMINGBURG

The frame-work of a new residence owned by John Smith and located near the school house in Bloomingburg, was completely wrecked during the wind storm which swept over the county Monday afternoon.

Many timbers were broken and the framework so badly damaged that the owner will be put to considerable expense to repair the damages.

### BRIDGE CHARGED

A broken electric wire touching the bridge over Paint creek on South North street, charged the bridge with "juice" Monday afternoon, and several persons were slightly shocked.

Howard Fogle, in attempting to drive across the bridge, discovered that his horse was being shocked, and the animal backed off before any serious damage was done.

The residence of John T. Cline, in Frankfort was partly destroyed by fire, Monday. The blaze was started by painters who were burning paint off the house with gasoline torches.

During the storm Monday afternoon a large tree crushed in the residence of the Widow Cline, at Frankfort. Mrs. Cline escaped injury.

LEAVES COUNTY ABOUT AUGUST 1ST

Rev. F. M. Moore, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Bloomingburg, leaves for his new charge on the outskirts of Indianapolis, about August 1st, and his successor has not yet been chosen.

A number of pastors are in view, but the new minister will probably not be chosen until sometime in August.

### Kinney's

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## MARINES TO END REBEL ACTIVITY

American Force to Be Landed In Haiti and San Domingo.

NAVY ACTS AT BRYAN'S REQUEST

Seven Hundred Men Ordered Assembled at Guantanamo, Cuba, to Be Held in Readiness For Service in the Revolution-Rent Island—American Lives and Property in Need of Protection.

Washington, July 14.—Seven hundred marines were ordered assembled at Guantanamo, Cuba, to be held in readiness for service in revolution-torn Haiti and Santo Domingo.

The navy department acted at the request of Secretary Bryan, who asked that the fleet be prepared to deal with any emergency that might arise on the turbulent little island. The marines will be gathered from those now on duty in Mexican waters and from the marine barracks in Philadelphia and Norfolk.

At Guantanamo the force will be only a day's sail from the north coast of Haiti and San Domingo, and their proximity is expected to impress upon the revolutionary leaders the determination of the American government to terminate their activities by forcible means unless they listen to the

warnings already given.

The situation in San Domingo has come to be regarded as almost hopeless of a cure from within, while in Haiti conditions are a little better.

Acting Secretary Roosevelt announced the action in the following statement:

"Numerous appeals from time to time have been made for the protection of American life and property on the island of Haiti, which has been jeopardized by various bands of revolutionists operating both in Haiti and San Domingo. Dispatches from there indicating that these conditions will probably continue for some time, it has been decided to place a small force of marines where they will be available in case any emergency should arise which would make it advisable for them to be on hand for the protection of life and property."

BAKER INVITED TO WHITE HOUSE

Washington, July 14.—President Wilson telegraphed an invitation to S. V. Bettron of the banking firm of Bettron, Griscom and Company of New York to come to the White House for a conference on the business situation and anti-trust legislation.

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Afternoon Music 2:30 Evening Music 7:30  
Afternoon Lecture 3:15 Evening Entertainment 8:15  
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THURSDAY

Afternoon—Address By Superintendent Concert...The Beulah Buck Quartet Co Admission 25c. Children 15c  
Evening—Concert...The Beulah Buck Quartet Co Featuring Musical Sketch "The Old Melodion" Lecture...Sylvester A. Long "Lightning and Toothpicks." Admission 50c. Children 25c

FRIDAY

Afternoon—Concert...The Southern Jubilee Singers and Players Vocal and Instrumental Lecture...Dr. Daniel McGurk Admission 35c. Children 25c

Evening—Concert...The Southern Jubilee Singers and Players Plantation Melodies Great Entertainment of Magic and Illusions...Totten & Co. Admission 50c. Children 25c

SATURDAY

Women's Day

Afternoon—Concert...The Pilgrim Girls Orchestra Great Debate on Woman Suffrage In Favor...Mrs. Robt. M. LaFollette Against...Miss Lucy J. Price Admission 50c. Children 25c

Evening—Concert...The Pilgrim Girls Orchestra And Mara W. Conover, Reader Lecture...Mrs. Elizabeth Glendower Evans "An Interview at The White House." Admission 50c. Children 25c

SUNDAY

Community Betterment Day

Afternoon—Sacred Concert...Stratford Male Quartet Sermon-Lecture...Dr. Glenn Frank of Northwestern University "The Good Wrong Man." Admission 35c. Children 25c  
Vesper Services.

Evening—Sacred Concert...Stratford Male Quartet Lecture...Ben R. Vardaman, Editor Merchant's Journal "How to Make This Community Better." Admission 50c. Children 25c

MONDAY

Band Day

Afternoon—Grand Band Concert...Quintano's Royal Italian Band Lecture...Roland A. Nichols "The Man Worth While." Admission 35c. Children 25c

Evening—Band Concert...Quintano's Royal Italian Band Entertainment...Sidney W. Landon "Speaking Likenesses of Great Men." Admission 50c. Children 25c

TUESDAY

Afternoon—Concert...Chautauqua Festival Artists Dr. A. J. Harpin, Eminent Basso; Ethel Lee Buxton, Soprano; Madge Murphy, Violinist. Lecture...Dr. Lincoln Wirt, F. R. G. S. "The Conquest of The Arctic." Admission 50c. Children 25c

Evening—Concert...Chautauqua Festival Artists Illustrated Lecture...Dr. Lincoln Wirt, F. R. G. S. "The Panama Canal and The Panama Pacific Exposition." Admission 50c. Children 25c

WEDNESDAY

Afternoon—Lecture...Senator Robt. M. LaFollette "Representative Government." (Appearance subject to non-interference with public duty.) Admission 50c. Children 25c

Evening—Brief Addresses by Prominent Citizens. Grand Closing Entertainment and Concert J. H. Balmer, F. R. G. S. and His Wonderful Singing Kaffir Boys.

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Large Tent Comfortable Chairs Inspiration Moral Uplift Community Betterment

## MILK SHIPPERS ARE BENEFITED

Columbus, July 14.—Milk shippers who use the Ohio Electric railroad for their carrier will be gratified to learn that the road has submitted to the ruling of the state utilities commission, which materially reduced the rates that have been effective since April 1. The schedule of rates as allowed by the commission has been filed with that body and will be effective tomorrow. Milk shippers thus will be saved about \$18,000 yearly by the commission's action.

## NECK BROKEN BUT GOOD YET

Cincinnati, July 14.—Ed Smith, lieutenant of the Cincinnati fire department, who was retired about two months ago because of a broken neck received at a fire, rescued a man and boy from the Ohio river after their skiff had overturned.

## SAFE CRACKED

Norwalk, O., July 14.—Cracksmen dynamited the postoffice safe in the general store of W. T. Palmer at New Haven, Huron county, escaping with \$65 in cash and \$100 in stamps.

## DEFIANCE CROPS

Defiance, O., July 14.—Defiance county's wheat crop approximates 330,000 bushels, which is 50,000 bushels greater than last year. The corn crop will be a big one.

Swam Too Long.

The attorneys for the prosecution and defense had been allowed fifteen minutes each to argue the case. The attorney for the defense had commenced his argument with an allusion to the swimming hole of his boyhood days. He told in florid oratory of the balmy air, the singing birds, the joy of youth, the delights of the cool water. And in the midst of it he was interrupted by the drawing voice of the judge. "Come out, Chawney," he said, "and put on your clothes. Your fifteen minutes are up."

## TRACEABLE TO WOMAN

Pittsburgh, July 14.—That the original cause of the looting of the Colonial Trust company's safe deposit box of \$80,000 is traceable to the operations of a woman in high finance, is the report in circulation here, a report that has not been denied by persons in close touch with the situation. Herman F. Borchers, assistant treasurer and paying teller, and George F. Hoffmeister, auditor, arrested in connection with the theft, are still in the county jail. It is said that the detectives have discovered the identity of the woman who had several duplicates made of the master key for the vault in which the Freehold reserve fund was kept.

## FOUND DEAD

Norwalk, O., July 14.—D. A. Wilkins, sixty-eight, for fourteen years district deputy for the National Protective Legion, was found dead at his home in this city. Death was caused by heart trouble.

## GIRL BEHEADED

Youngstown, O., July 14.—While playing on a railroad Mary Shangda, seven, was decapitated by a train.

Eagerly Communicative.

"A man ought not to have any secrets from his wife."

"Secrets!" exclaimed Mr. Meekton. "I spend hours trying to make an impression on Henrietta by thinking up something to tell her that she doesn't know."—Washington Star.

Amended.

Little Leander—Say, grandpa, give me a penny, will you? Grandpa—Why, Lemuel, you are too old to be begging for pennies. Little Leander—Yes, grandpa. Make it a dime, please.—Chicago News.

We have committed the Golden Rule to memory. Now let us commit it to life.—Markham.

No man who will not make an effort for himself need apply for aid to his friends.—Demosthenes.

## PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Mastoiditis.

Mastoiditis is a dangerous disease, and the importance of detecting it in its earliest stages must never be overlooked. Delay means a fearful operation or death. Mastoiditis is recognized by pressing the hard, ridge-like bone behind the ear. Tenderness there, especially if combined with a running ear, is an almost certain proof of mastoiditis. It is always wise to consult a physician when trouble starts in the ear.

## INDIRECT LIGHTING.

The New System Which Uses the Ceiling as a Diffuser.

The "indirect" system of lighting was invented about five years ago by an illuminating engineer in Chicago, who, while experimenting to find something that would diffuse light and yet keep it away from the eyes, tried turning the shades on his fixtures upside down. The effect led him to see the possibilities of using the ceiling as a diffuser of light and resulted in his working out the indirect method.

In this fixture a cup or bowl like shape are used, hung from the ceiling by chains or rods. The container is entirely opaque, either of metal or some metalized substance that prevents any light from coming through and forces it against the ceiling by means of powerful reflectors with which the container is lined. In some types the container has a highly glazed enamel lining which acts as a reflector.

By this method the light is diffused evenly over an entire room, lighting up the corners and enabling every one in the room to see equally well.

The effect of this kind of lighting is interesting to watch. There are no puckered brows, no strained look on the faces of people who are reading or working in a room so illuminated. The eyes and nerves have involuntarily relaxed, and a feeling of well-being and repose that must be experienced to be appreciated takes the place of the high strung, overwrought, nervous state induced by glaring, unshaded "direct" lights.—World's Work.

All to His Credit.

"My dear," he said, "you are superb! To any man a credit. You'll be the reigning belle tonight," and kissed her as he said it.

"My love, I'm glad you like my clothes," with beating heart she said it. "Because this party gown and wrap are also to your credit!"—Stray Stories.

Wanted a Little Praise Himself. Following a disastrous fire in a western city, many men and women gathered to look at the ruins. Some of the men, seeing that a wall near which they were standing was toppling, made haste to get out of the way and narrowly escaped being crushed.

John Brabson, a good Irish citizen, was so near the wall that he could not escape with the others. So, whirling about, he made for a door in the wall, burst through it and came out on the other side safe and evidently very proud of his exploit. Women who had shut their eyes and shrieked when they saw his danger now gathered round him in great joy and cried out:

"Praise heaven, Johnny Brabson, down on your knees and thank heaven!"

"Yis, yis," said he, "and I will, but wasn't it injurious in me, now?"—Youth's Companion.

Some Women Never Learn.

"You never put anything where it belongs," he complained.

"Why are you scolding me again, George?" she replied. "What have I done now that is wrong?"

"Every morning I find my knife and my keys in my right hip pocket. Won't you ever learn that I prefer to wear them on the left side?"—Chicago Herald.

## DRUG SUNDRIES

Sundries is a word that covers a multitude of things in a drug store.

For Summer Needs We Have

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## SUMMER SUNDRIES

of just the kind you'll want on your trip. Make a note to get something in the Drug Sundry Line when down town again.

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# DEEP INTEREST CENTERS IN COMING CHAUTAUQUA

Tickets Going Rapidly and Every thing Being Placed in Readiness For Event Which Will Draw Big Crowds to Washington, Beginning Thursday of This Week—Will be Held on East End School Grounds—Splendid Offering Each Day.

Thursday, July 16, this week, will witness the opening of the Coit-Alber

## Markets

### Close of Markets Today

By Associated Press.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, July 14.—Hogs—Receipts 20,000—Market slow—Light workers \$8.60 @ 8.97 1/2; heavy workers \$8.35 @ 9.00; pigs \$7.85 @ 8.85.

Cattle—Receipts 4,000—Market steady—Beefers \$7.70 @ \$10.00; Texas steers \$6.40 @ \$8.35; stockers and feeders \$5.80 @ \$8.10; cows and heifers \$3.90 @ 9.15; calves \$7.50 @ \$11.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 23,000—Market steady—Sheep, natives \$5.30 @ \$6.10; lambs, natives \$6.40 @ 9.20.

Pittsburg, July 14.—Hogs—Receipts 1,000—Workers and pigs \$9.60. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1,000—Top sheep \$6.25; top lambs \$9.00. Calves—Receipts 100—Top \$11.

GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat—July 76 3-4; Sept. 76 7-8. Corn—July 68 3-4; Sept. 66 1/2. Oats—July 36 5-8; Sept. 34 3-4. Pork—July \$22.80; Sept. 20.95. Lard—July \$10.27; Sept. 10.40.

### THE LOCAL MARKET.

Corrected Daily at Noon.

Wheat	73c
White corn	70c
Good feeding yellow corn	68c
Oats	37c
Hay No. 1, timothy	\$14.00
Hay No. 2, timothy	\$12.00
Hay No. 1, clover	\$8.00
Hay No. 1, mixed	\$12.00
Straw, dry, per ton	\$5.00
Straw board per ton	\$4.20

### Prices Paid for Produce.

Chickens, young per lb.	24c
Chickens, old, per lb.	13c
Eggs, per dozen	18c
Butter	29c
New potatoes, selling price	4c lb.
Lard, per pound	11c

### Close of Markets Yesterday

(By American Press.)

#### EAST BUFFALO.

Cattle—Prime steers, \$3.50 @ 10; shelling, \$8.75 @ 20; butchers, \$7.00 @ 15; heifers, \$7.00 @ 15; cows, \$3.75 @ 17; bulls, \$3.50 @ 15; stockers and feeders, \$6.00 @ 7.65; calves, \$5.00 @ 11.50.

Hogs—Heavy and mixed, \$3.40; workers and pigs, \$9.00 @ 9.50; rough, \$8.80 @ 15; stags, \$6.00 @ 7.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Yearlings, \$6.00 @ 8; wethers, \$6.50 @ 8.50; ewes, \$5.00 @ 8.50; mixed sheep, \$5.50 @ 8.50; lambs, \$7.00 @ 9.50.

Receipts—Cattle, 1,100; hogs, 13,000; sheep and lambs, 2,800; calves, 1,000.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—Beefers, \$7.00 @ 8.50; steers, \$5.50 @ 8; cows and heifers, \$5.00 @ 9.15; stockers and feeders, \$5.80 @ 8.10; calves, \$4.50 @ 8.

Hogs—Light, \$8.00 @ 9; mixed, \$8.00 @ 9; heavy, \$8.50 @ 9; rough, \$8.00 @ 8.50; stags, \$6.00 @ 8.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$6.00 @ 10; yearlings, \$5.50 @ 7.50; lambs, \$6.00 @ 9.50.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$7.50 @ 7.50; Corn, No. 2 yellow, 7c; oats, No. 3 white, 27c @ 38c.

Receipts—Cattle, 15,000; hogs, 28,000; sheep and lambs, 22,000.

CLEVELAND.

Cattle—Butcher steers, \$7.00 @ 8.50; heifers, \$7.00 @ 7.50; butcher bulls, \$6.00 @ 7.50; cows, \$5.00 @ 8.50; milk cows, \$4.00 @ 8.50; calves, \$3.00 @ 8.50.

Hogs—Workers, light workers and pigs, \$3.50; heavy and medium, \$3.50 @ 8.50; mixed, \$3.50 @ 8.50; rough, \$3.50 @ 8.50; stags, \$2.50 @ 8.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Clipped wethers, \$5.00 @ 8; ewes, \$5.00 @ 8.50; lambs, \$7.00 @ 8.50.

Receipts—Cattle, 5,000; hogs, 3,500; sheep and lambs, 2,500; calves, 400.

PITTSBURGH.

Cattle—Heavy steers, \$9.50; fat steers, \$9.50 @ 9.50; heifers, \$7.50 @ 8.50; cows, \$4.50 @ 7.50; butchers, \$7.50 @ 7.50; milk cows, \$4.00 @ 7.50; calves, \$3.00 @ 7.50.

Hogs—Prime hogs, \$9.00 @ 9.50; heavy mixed, \$9.00 @ 9.50; other grades, \$9.00 @ 9.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Top sheep, \$6.25; top lambs, \$4.

Receipts—Cattle, 2,000; hogs, 7,000; sheep and lambs, 7,500; calves, 1,000.

CINCINNATI.

Cattle—Steers, \$5.00 @ 8.50; cows, \$5.00 @ 8.50; heifers, \$4.50 @ 8.50; calves, \$3.50 @ 8.50.

Hogs—Packers and butchers, \$3.00 @ 8.50; common to choice, \$3.50 @ 8.50; pigs and lights, \$3.50 @ 8.50; stags, \$3.50 @ 8.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$2.75 @ 8.50; lambs, \$3.50 @ 8.50.

Receipts—Cattle, 1,000; hogs, 4,200; sheep and lambs, 4,500.

BOSTON.

Wool—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces. Delaine washed, \$1.00 @ 8.50; X.X. 29c; half blood combing, \$2.00 @ 8.50; three-eighths blood combing, \$2.75 @ 8.50; delaine unashed, 27c @ 8.50.

TOLEDO.

Wheat, new, 75c @ 8.50; old, 55c; corn, 55c; oats, 5c; clover seed, 5c.

## FULLERTON SUFFERS HEAVY FIRE LOSS

Fire completely wiped out the plant of the South Webster Brick company of Portsmouth Friday night. A. L. Fullerton of Columbus, formerly of this city is president of the company and principal stockholder. His son Humphrey is treasurer of the company.

The big tent will be pitched on the East End school grounds, the location of the chautauqua being changed by Mr. C. E. Bruton, representative of the company, who went over the grounds carefully and found the East End school grounds much better adapted to the chautauqua than the Cherry Hill grounds.

Locally things are progressing well. With more than fifteen young people out selling tickets and a supply on hand in practically every store in the city the ticket stock is being rapidly depleted. The demand is becoming urgent. Those who are buying now are saving fifty cents on the course and seem to be aware of the fact.

For the past several weeks the advertising agents of the company have been doing their work, unpretentiously but effectively, and there are few persons in Fayette county who are not fully acquainted with what the Chautauqua is going to offer them and who will not take advantage of it. It is expected that the East End school grounds, on which the Chautauqua is to be held, will be taxed to its limit during the engagement of the entertainers.

In getting the chautauqua here the men who pledged its support each made themselves responsible for tickets to the extent of \$10. They made themselves individually liable for this amount in order that Washington might be treated to something out of the ordinary in the way of entertainment. Now its the time for the appreciative persons to do their share. By buying season tickets now they are removing the liability from the men who pledged themselves. By buying on the grounds they are paying more for the entertainment and reducing the liability not a cent. The securing of a chautauqua for the next season and others to follow will depend entirely on the outcome, the financial outcome principally, of the one this season.

## YOUNG RUBBER THIEF CAPTURED

A boy giving his name as John Williams, aged 16 years, was arrested on a charge of stealing rubber, Tuesday morning, and later admitted his guilt to the police.

Some 25 pounds of inner tubes for automobile tires were found at a local junk dealer's place where the boy had disposed of the rubber for the sum of between \$2 and \$3. This was given to the officers.

The rubber had been stolen from Chas. Himmer's barn and from Dr. Brock's garage. Neither of the losers desired to prosecute the lad, and he was taken to the county jail to await further action by the authorities.

It is believed he has been stealing rubber from various parts of the city for some time, as many such thefts have been reported to the police.

## STREET OPENED FOR PAVING IMPROVEMENT

The contractors in charge of the Main street paving, started work Tuesday afternoon, beginning the excavation work.

The macadam removed from the street will be placed on East street between Main and Fayette, improving that thoroughfare.

The Main street improvement will consist of 6 inches of cement, covered with 1 1/2 inches of sand, and the paving brick placed upon the sand, after which the brick will be dressed with asphalt.

## DEWITT RETURNS POLICE AFTER HIM

Receiving word that Allie DeWitt, erstwhile bootlegger, had returned to the city, after an agreement to remain out of the city, Chief Moore and Patrolman Judy went in search of the man Tuesday afternoon.

DeWitt is said to have dropped back in this city Monday. Old fines aggregating a neat sum became effective with DeWitt's capture inside the city limits.

The man left last Saturday, ostensibly for Portsmouth.

## THE RASH ACT OF 15-YEAR-OLD GIRL

While in a fit of despondency Monday, Jennie Cotterman, 15-year-old girl of Xenia, placed a pistol to her breast and sent a ball crashing through her chest, just above the heart, inflicting a wound which was expected to prove fatal at any moment.

A man residing in the same neighborhood is said to have been responsible for the girl's rash act, and an investigation is now on foot.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Ernest Foland, 22, horseman, South Solon, and Faye Weish, 18, of Jeffersonville. Justice Craig.

## CRANES HIGHLAND LINEN.

Stationery in the new style envelopes—just received at Rodecker's News Stand. Price reduced to 25c the box, for this week.

## CLASSIFIED

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## GRAND JURY SIFTS CASE

By Associated Press.

Mineola, N. Y., July 14.—The grand jury today took up the case of Mrs. Florence Carman, charged with the murder of Mrs. Louise Ball, one of her husband's patients, on the night of June 30. Dr. Carman was the first witness called. He was on the stand nearly two hours. As he left the grand jury room he refused to say anything about the nature of his testimony but stated that he had not been asked to waive immunity as had been expected.

## DEATHS

### MILEY.

The 17-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Miley, of Draper street, died Monday night. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock at the residence. Burial in the White Oak cemetery.

## END OF THE EARTH.

That Great Tragedy May Be 2,000,000 or 95,000,000 Years Away.

Scientists tell us that life on the earth began about 2,000,000 years ago. It has generally been accepted that life will last for 95,000,000 years.

Ninety-five million years is a fairly long time. None of us who are alive today need worry about what will take place 95,000,000 years hence. Even the most altruistic can scarcely be inspired by love for an inconceivably remote posterity.

But the French savants are altogether disturbing. Here comes one, M. Veronnet, who says that the earth will permanently freeze within the next 2,000,000 years and that life will vanish. This is bringing the tragedy nearer home. We would gladly accept the older reckoning.

Veronnet places mankind of today about midway between the beginning and the end. He computes that the future life will exist as long as it has already existed. He specifies only one forty-eighth as long a life as those who have studied in the past.

There is only one consolation to be derived from the Veronnet reckoning. As far as the influence of today is concerned 2,000,000 years is as good as 95,000,000. In either event those who are comfortably laboring today cannot

## What Are Your Taxes?

And what are the laws that regulate them? Every one pays taxes in some form or another whether he owns property or not. They are the one thing that is absolutely certain in this life. And they are paid blindly by most of us. The laws that govern them have changed radically during the past two years. Have you looked up those new laws, and have you a copy of them where you can refer to it?

These tax laws are given in our new 1914 OHIO ALMANAC, brought right up to date. And the exceptional index prevents the slightest loss of time in finding them. There are 100,000 other facts of interest to you and to every resident of Ohio, listed and given in concise but comprehensive form in this new book. And among that 100,000 are a great many that it will be an actual hindrance to you some day not to know.

## WASHINGTON DAILY HERALD.

THE WEATHER—Showers this afternoon and tonight. Wednesday fair

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Ten Cents a Week

MORGAN PREFERS  
TO HOLD TONGUE

New York, July 14.—While J. P. Morgan & Co. consistently refuse to discuss the report of the Interstate Commerce Commission, severely censuring the directors under the administration of Charles N. Mellen for reckless and profligate financial operations estimated to have cost stockholders from \$65,000,000 to

\$90,000,000, J. P. Morgan himself denies the charge that the commission's examiners were not accorded full access to the firm's books bearing on the New Haven. Correspondence made public at Washington told of Commissioner McChord's directing the chief examiner to cease the work at it was useless.

THREATEN  
WESTERN  
RAILWAYS

By Associated Press.

Chicago, July 14.—An ultimatum in the wage dispute of 55,000 engineers and firemen of the 98 railroads west of Chicago and their employers was to be presented today to the managers of the roads. A gigantic strike, which would tie up 128,000 miles of railroad, is imminent unless an agreement is reached, according to union officials.

Representatives of the engineers and firemen today declared that they would not accept arbitration of their wage differences under the Erdman act but would continue negotiations with their employers.

GIVE UP AFTER  
KILLING A MAN

By Associated Press.

Ebensburg, Pa., July 14.—Joseph and Samuel Seita entered the sheriff's office at the county jail today and asked to be locked up, saying they had killed Glatano Deno, near here last night. They said they had recently received a letter telling them that when a man approached them and demanded money they were to give it to him. Last night they were walking together when Deno approached and demanded \$100. Instead of complying with his demand they shot him dead, nine bullets entering his body. A charge of murder was placed against each of them and county detectives detailed to investigate the story.

REDHOT REPORT  
IS LAID BEFORE  
THE COMMITTEE

Washington, July 14.—With its unmeasured denunciation of the "mal-administration" of the New Haven financial affairs and the "criminal negligence" of directors the Interstate Commerce Commission's sensational report of its investigation of the New Haven railroad lines was today sent before the Senate Committee working to frame legislation for control of railroad finances, interlocking directorates and other subjects concerned in the investigation. Administration supporters declare that many of the recommendations of the committee agreed perfectly with portions of President Wilson's trust legislative program. The next step in New Haven affairs is now expected from the Department of Justice.

CHARLES S. MELLEN.



Late head of the New Haven Ry., whose administration of which resulted in his indictment in Massachusetts and a scathing denunciation by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

REBELS SWEEPING  
AWAY OPPOSITION

By Associated Press.

On Board U. S. Ship California, Mazatlan, July 13.—Wireless to Santiago, July 14.—The Insurgents are assuming control of the Pacific coast of Mexico. Evacuations, occupations, armistices and the exchange of prisoners are everywhere reported to Rear Admiral Howard, commander of the American Pacific fleet, and the indications are that in a week the Federals will be in possession only of Mazatlan and Salina Cruz.

At San Rosalia, a mining port on the outer coast of Lower California, the Federals and Constitutionalists held a conference yesterday at which it was decided to bury the hatchet and make joint cause with Carranza. The same program is expected to take place at La Paz, another Lower Cal-

ifornia port while at Guaymas an armistice has been agreed on to expire July 20 at midnight.

In the meantime four large vessels of the Navira Mexican line are loading rapidly and it is expected that all Federal troops will be out of Guaymas in the next few days.

Negotiations for the exchange of prisoners began with the signing of the armistice. Colonel Gomez, of the Zapatista forces, it is reported, has taken charge in the name of the Constitutionalists of Acapulco, once a port for the Spanish galleons from the Philippines. General Salido, the Federal commander there, has been hard pressed of late and the last refugees reported that he had been forced to make daily levies of cash and rations to supply his small garrison.

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## Fort Guarding Mazatlan, Mexico

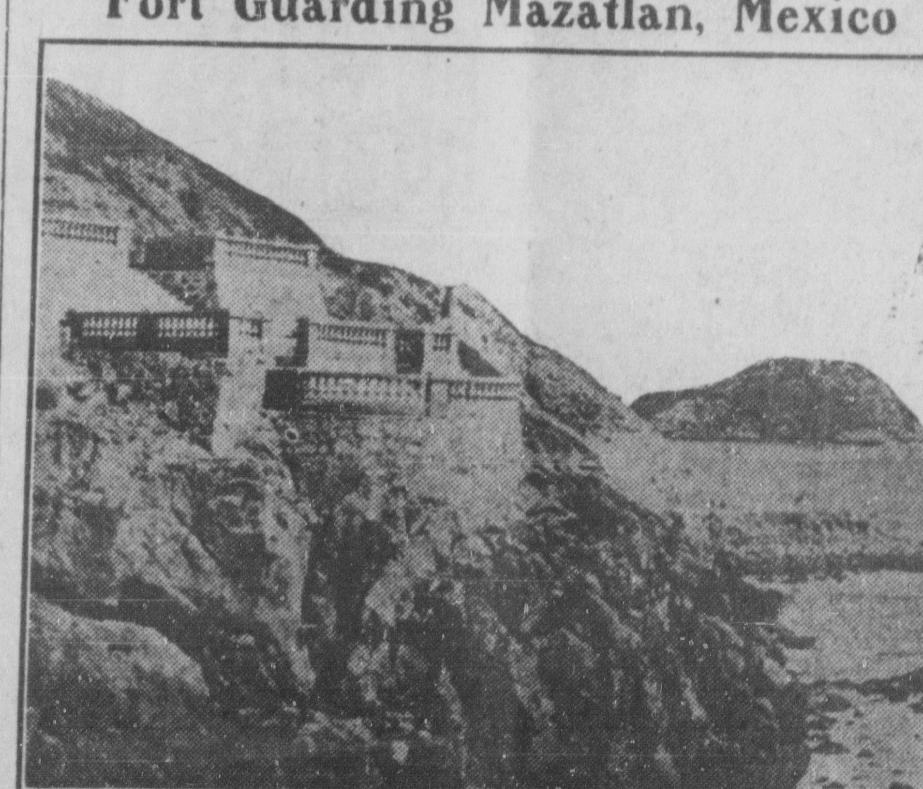
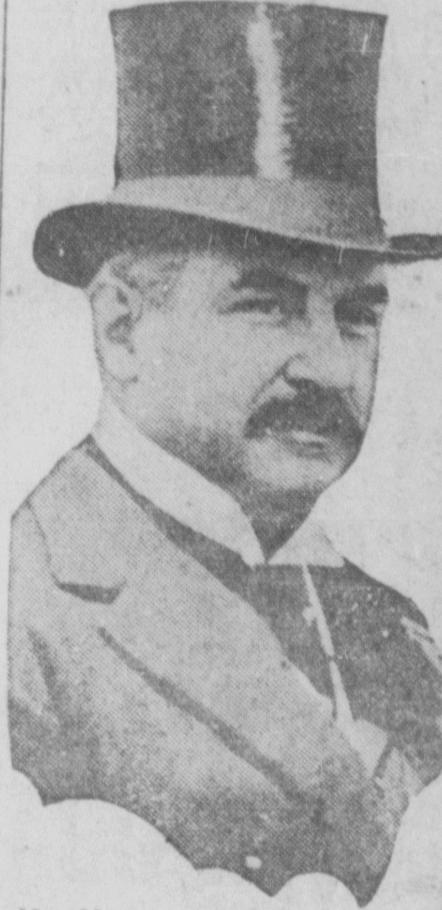


Photo by American Press Association.

MAZATLAN is ranked as the chief industrial and commercial port on the Pacific coast of Mexico. The fort sits on the side of a rocky promontory at the entrance of the harbor. Mazatlan and Salina Cruz are the only places that at this time are not included in the evacuation plans of the Mexican Federals, and it is predicted that within one week all other points in Western Mexico will have passed into the hands of the Rebels.

J. P. MORGAN.



Mr. Morgan refuses to talk concerning the report of the Interstate Commerce Commission, which so unmercifully scored the transactions of the New Haven Ry. Morgan contented himself with a remark that the books and correspondence were turned over to the investigators.

BENJAMIN MADE  
EXALTED RULER

Denver, Colo., July 14.—Raymond Benjamin, of Napa, Cal., was elected grand exalted ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks today, by acclamation.

OPERATORS ASK  
3-YEAR CONTRACT

Charleston, W. Va., July 14.—Delegates from all miners' local unions in the Kanawha district assembled here today to take action on the scale decided on last Saturday by officers of the United Mine Workers and the coal operators. The operators insist on a term of three years. Final settlement, it was said, would hinge on that one feature.

THREE MONTHS  
DROUGHT ENDED

Parkersburg, W. Va., July 14.—Heavy rains throughout West Virginia last night and this morning ended the drought that for three months wrought havoc to growing crops. Agriculturists said the downpour had saved the corn crop and added thousands of dollars to the value of orchards.

JAMES C. M'REYNOLDS

Attorney General May Be Elevated to the Supreme Bench.

SENATORS  
SLIP OUT

By Associated Press.

Washington, July 14.—Exoneration of all Senators concerned in the charges of misuse of official letter paper in promoting a North Carolina gold mine was contained in the findings of an investigating committee which today completed its report.

John Skelton Williams, comptroller of the currency, who figured in the investigation as having sent a government expert to examine the mine, was also exonerated of any reprehensible conduct. The report holds that Senators who bought stock in the mine did so as individuals and made no use of their official positions to promote it.

MAN AND GIRL  
KILLED BY B. & O.

Akron, O., July 14.—Miss Irene Dailey, Greentown, Pa., and Lawrence Reeder, a nurse, were struck and instantly killed last midnight by a west bound B. & O. flyer. Both bodies were horribly mangled. After waiting until a freight train cleared the crossing they stepped directly in the path of the passenger train.

HUERTA STAYS ON  
BUT FAMILY FLEES

By Associated Press.

Washington, July 14.—General Huerta was not among the high official Mexican refugees on the liner Estange, according to early dispatches received today from General

Funston. The holding of the liner and the hurried repair of the railroad to Mexico City were taken as an indication that Huerta was ready to flee with members of his family, who sailed on the Estange.

WAKEFIELD  
WOMAN ON  
TRIAL AGAIN

By Associated Press.

New Haven, Conn., July 14.—Bessie J. Wakefield was today placed on trial for a second time under an indictment for murder in the first degree for causing the death of her husband, William O. Wakefield, at Cheshire, on June 23, 1913. The woman was found guilty of murder last October 23, and sentenced to be hanged on March 4, 1914. Upon appeal the Supreme Court of Errors granted a new trial.

James Plew, who actually murdered Wakefield, was convicted in a separate trial and paid the penalty for the crime. Mrs. Wakefield and Plew had been close friends. The state alleged, in the first trial of Mrs. Wakefield, that the woman was the master mind in a plot to kill Wakefield.

MANY SUFFER  
IN COLLISION

By Associated Press.

Elyria, O., July 14.—Four persons were injured, one fatally, and thirty passengers were badly shaken up when an eastbound limited car on the Cleveland & Southwestern Interurban trolley line, collided with a work train consisting of two cars, was trying to pull into the siding to permit the limited to pass and was not quite in the clear when the limited crashed into it.

BLAZE OUSTS  
200 PERSONS

By Associated Press.

Cleveland, O., July 14.—Two hundred persons were early today driven into the street in night clothing and a score narrowly escaped with their lives, when fire, which started in the factory of the National Bedding Company, communicated to a dozen houses in the neighborhood, destroying four and badly burning others. The total loss is about \$75,000.

GLENN H. CURTISS

Built Flying Boat America  
For Transatlantic Flight.



Photo by American Press Association.

FRANCE REVIEWS HER  
INSTRUMENTS OF WAR

By Associated Press.

Paris, July 14.—Half a million persons celebrating the anniversary of the Fall of the Bastile at the President's annual review of the Paris garrison today, saw twenty military aeroplanes rise at the far end of the Longchamps race course and, in perfect alignment of fours, fly at full speed past the President's stand. A mighty roar of cheering swept over the crowd as 230,000 troops of cavalry, artillery, infantry and other branches marched before the review stand. Troops of all the garrisons in France also paraded and the military authorities figured that over 400 armed aeroplanes were on the wing at one time in various parts of the country.

# MEXICO CITY MUST FALL BY ASSAULT

Rebel Generals Decide Unanimously to Continue the War.

## WILL NOT ACCEPT MEDIATION

Francisco Carballo or Any Other Official Who May Be Named by the Huerta Administration Will Not Be Dealt With by Constitutionalists, Except in Arms—Battle Raging at San Luis Potosi.

El Paso, Tex., July 14.—That the City of Mexico must fall by assault is the positive declaration of the Constitutionalists. No mediation will be accepted, agents of Carranza assert. They were advised that Carranza had conferred with his generals by wire and had received the unanimous decision of all his fighting forces that they should not mediate, but should continue the war. Carbajal or any other official who may be named by the Huerta administration will not be dealt with by the Constitutionalists except in arms.

Villa is expected hourly at the border on business. The nature of his

coming is not stated, but it is presumed to be in connection with fitting his army with clothing. Villa will also consult with the border with officials of the Pearson company and of the American Smelting and Refining company and other foreign interests desirous of resuming operations in Villa territory.

Constitutionalist officers here credit the reports that Huerta is to resign in favor of Francisco Carbajal, and declare that their agents have telegraphed them that his resignation will come Thursday. They assert that Huerta is putting to death many political prisoners in Mexico City every day, getting rid of as many of his enemies as possible before he gives up the reins of government and sails for Europe.

Fighting is going on at San Luis Potosi, capital of the Mexican state of the same name. General Alvaro Obregon and his rebel troops are reported resting at Guadalajara after their victory over the federales in the Jalisco capital.

Villa and Obregon will rest while General Pablo Gonzales and his force is attacking San Luis Potosi. With the fall of San Luis, Villa is to return south with his forces and Obregon is to begin moving south also from Guadalajara. The three armies, commanded by Gonzales, Villa and Obregon, are then to advance in a fanlike formation against Mexico City.

## MAILMEN MEET

Newark, O., July 14.—With the largest number of delegates present in history of the Ohio Rural Letter Carriers' association, the twelfth annual convention opened here today. Good roads will be the principal object of discussion and action. Governor Cox spoke this afternoon, and Highway Commissioner James R. Marker and Agricultural Commissioner A. P. Sandles are on the program.

## DRYS AND WETS HAVE THE NAMES

Columbus, July 14.—Both the drys and wets announced they had enough names on their respective petitions for a statewide prohibition and anti-prohibition campaign to insure the submission of constitutional amendments this fall. The saloon issue promises to dwarf all political questions and candidates.



## A Gentle Reminder

Perhaps you have neglected to send your laundry to us this week. If so drop us a card or telephone, and we will send for it. What you send the

### ROTHROCK LAUNDRY

will be laundered perfectly and returned uninjured. We neglect nothing that should be done, and do nothing that will be detrimental to washables.

## Rothrock's Laundry

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## HEART BALM FOR GROCER

Delaware, O., July 14.—Mrs. Elizabeth Trapkey, a widow of middle age, was made defendant in a heart balm suit filed by John Underwood of Canton, who asks \$3,000 from the widow as a result of being jilted. Underwood claims he was to have married the widow this month and that on the strength of the understanding he sold his grocery at Canton, expecting to make his home with his intended bride, who conducts a boarding house. He declares being jilted has caused him great distress, mortification and disgrace.

If you wish beautiful, clear, white clothes, use Red Cross Ball Blue. At all good grocers.



SOUTHERN JUBILEE SINGERS AND PLAYERS.

WILL APPEAR AT CHAUTAUQUA

## BABE DROWNED

Wilmington, Del., July 14.—Nancy Carpenter, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. M. Carpenter of the wealthy Dupont family, was drowned by falling into a fountain pool on the country estate of Pierre S. Dupont.

## PREPARE PROTEST

Dayton, O., July 14.—Petitions protesting against the conservancy act were circulated to be presented to Governor Cox at the called session of the legislature.

## FILE KICKS WITH COX

Claim Eastern Ohio Operators  
Violated Agreement.

## LINEMAN KILLED

St. Louis, July 14.—Nile Barnett died a few minutes after workmen had rescued him from the top of a pole at Edwardsville, Ill., where he came in contact with a high tension wire.

## XENIA MAN DROWNS

Omaha, Neb., July 14.—Lewis S. Sanborn of Xena, O., was drowned at Valley, Neb.

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## VIRGINIA TO VOTE ON LIQUOR ISSUE

Richmond, Va., July 14.—The county clerks have forwarded to the secretary of state petitions signed by 69,936 votes asking for a statewide prohibition election.

## MONEY! MONEY! MONEY!

I am in a position to make better terms on loans than at any time in 27 years. Am loaning money in Fayette, Ross, Pickaway, Madison and Clark counties. MUST BE A REASON. Don't close a loan until you see me and know why they get money of me.

FRANK M. FULLERTON,  
Washington C. H., O.

## COUNTY AUDITOR.

Glenn M. Pine is a candidate for the nomination for County Auditor on Republican ticket. Primary August 11, 1914.

ANDA E. HENKLE  
Candidate for Renomination  
COUNTY AUDITOR  
Republican Primary  
Aug. 11, 1914.

## SURVEYOR.

Tom G. Grove announces his candidacy for the nomination of County Surveyor, subject to the Republican Primary, August 11, 1914.

I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Surveyor. Your support at the Primary Election, August 11th, is respectfully solicited.

HERMAN G. CROW.

## REPRESENTATIVE.

Editor Herald:—I am a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket for County Commissioner, and respectfully solicit your support at the August primary election.

## COMMISSIONER.

Eds. Herald:—I am a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket for County Commissioner, and respectfully solicit your support at the August primary election.

## JAY G. WILLIAMS.

Eds. Herald:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Primary Election to be held August 11, 1914.

## EMMETT MORRIS.

Eds. Herald:—I am a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket for County Commissioner, and respectfully solicit your support at the August primary election.

## HOWARD W. LOOKER.

Eds. Herald:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Primary Election to be held August 11, 1914.

## W. E. STURGEON.

Please announce that I am a candidate for renomination on the Republican ticket to the office of County Commissioner, subject to the primary election to be held Aug. 11.

## LOUIS PERRILL.

Eds. Herald:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Primary Election to be held August 11, 1914.

## EARL J. KING.

Eds. Herald:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Primary Election to be held August 11, 1914.

## TREASURER.

You may announce that I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Treasurer. I solicit support in the Primary Election to be held Aug. 11.

## A. W. DUFF.

Eds. Herald:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Primary Election to be held August 11, 1914.

## FOREST ANDERS.

Eds. Herald:—Please announce that I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Primary Election to be held August 11, 1914.

## RECODER.

Please announce that I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Recorder, subject to the primary election, Aug. 11.

## C. M. JOHNSON.

I am a candidate on the Republican ticket for the nomination for County Recorder, subject to the August 11, 1914.

## DAVID WHITESIDE.

THOS. S. MADDOX.

Eds. Herald:—Please announce that I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Recorder, subject to the decision of the primary election, Aug. 11.

ANDREW C. NELSON.

## PROSECUTOR.

You are authorized to announce that I am a candidate for re-nomination on the Republican ticket for Prosecuting Attorney, subject to the decision of the primary election, Aug. 11.

FRANK S. MADDOX.

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## Mr. Reid Denies It.

Mr. Charles A. Reid, of this county, who is making a strenuous speaking campaign for the nomination for Secretary of State on the Republican ticket, and with very flattering prospect for success, too, made a speech at Canton Friday evening.

The press reports of the Canton meeting credited Mr. Reid with stating that the Governor of this state was a political grand-stander.

Many of Mr. Reid's friends in Fayette county were amazed at the report, especially in view of the fact that the Governor of the state, in a speech he delivered at Good Hope last February, used this language in referring to Mr. Reid:

"I don't agree with your representative, but I have a great deal of respect for his intelligence and his conscientiousness. His personality is as forceful and lovable as that of any man I have ever known in politics. It is a credit to American citizenship to find a man of the fine fibre of Mr. Reid, regardless of politics."

A higher compliment could not be given by one political friend to another, and coming from a political adversary, it was decidedly out of the ordinary, even for these times of improved ethics in politics.

Mr. Reid unqualifiedly denies having made any such statement in his speech at Canton as that credited to him.

People have long outgrown that condition of gullibility which accepts personal abuse as a sufficient answer to argument, and Mr. Reid's denial of the report that he called Ohio's Chief Executive a grandstader fully justifies his friends who believed that he recognized political decency, believed in meeting argument with argument, matching fact against fact, and fully realized that the people of this great state of Ohio would not take kindly to personal abuse of the man chosen to occupy the position of Chief Executive.

Not even the staunchest personal and political friends of the Governor claim that he is infallible in political judgment, but, for any one, even a political opponent, to charge the Governor of the state with being a "grandstader," with being insincere in his position on public questions, is inexcusable, decidedly bad taste and disastrous in the results it would bring to anyone who resorts to such tactics.

The attitude which the Governor of this state has always assumed toward Mr. Reid, is so complimentary, so charitable, and in such contrast to that which Mr. Reid was reported to have assumed toward the Governor, that his friends were shocked.

There have always been, in this country, two types of men—Progressives and Conservatives—and there probably always will be. These men are bound to differ on questions of public interest and it is right that they should do so, but that does not mean that they should abuse each other personally. Political opponents can and should be fair with each other and confine their discussions to public questions.

The present Governor of Ohio has been extraordinarily active. Since he assumed the office, many decided changes have taken place and it is not remarkable that some people are slow to accept all that has been done and give it their unqualified approval. The existence of that condition, however, does not warrant making the charge that the Governor is a "grandstader," and the Herald is glad that Mr. Reid denies that he made such a statement.

More Than Half Our Fires Preventable

Socialism Must Be Tyranny Or Failure

By JOSEPH O. HAMMITT, Chief New York City Fire Prevention Bureau

A EXTENSIVE CAMPAIGN OF EDUCATION THROUGH THE COUNTRY SHOWING THAT EACH FAMILY IS BEING TAXED ABOUT TWENTY-SEVEN DOLLARS A YEAR FOR SMOKE WOULD PROBABLY AWAKEN THE PUBLIC CONSCIENCE CONCERNING THE SUPREME IMPORTANCE OF FIRE PREVENTION. MORE THAN HALF OF OUR FIRES COULD POSITIVELY BE PREVENTED. THIS WOULD SAVE THE COUNTRY MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

There is no excuse or palliation for our enormous fire waste. We have diagnosed the disease; we have studied its causes; we have DISCOVERED THE FIRE GERM, so speak. ITS NAME IS CARELESSNESS. We have also discovered the remedy—fire prevention.

Pythian Sisters

Regular meeting of Washington Temple No. 380, Tuesday evening July 14, at 7:30 o'clock. Laura L. Eyre, M. E. C. Ida C. Gillespie, W. of R. & C.

## Poetry For Today

SUMMER IN TOWN.  
Summer in the city—  
Geeminy, it's hot!  
(Those resort banditti  
Would take all I've got!)  
Soot and noise and labor,  
Want and woe and crime—  
Do you like it, neighbor?  
Good old summertime!

Still, there is the trolley,  
Going to the beach,  
Why be melancholy?  
Let us go and teach  
(On the sand reclining)  
Some fair maiden to swim,  
Afterward some dining,  
If that be your whim.

Electric fans a-whirring,  
Service of the best,  
Outside, motor purring,  
Home, a bath and rest!  
Summer in the city;  
Gee! One almost melts!  
But how I do pity  
People somewhere else!

—Chicago News.

## Weather Report

Washington, July 14.—For Ohio: Partly cloudy Tuesday, probably preceded by showers; Wednesday fair.

For Illinois—Fair Tuesday and probably Wednesday.

For Lower Michigan—Partly cloudy Tuesday; probably showers and cooler in north portion; Wednesday fair.

For Tennessee, Kentucky and Indiana—Generally fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.  
Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 7 p. m. Monday:

	Temp. Weather.
Boston	66 Cloudy
New York	74 Cloudy
Washington	72 Cloudy
Buffalo	72 Cloudy
Columbus	71 Cloudy
Chicago	74 Cloudy
St. Louis	94 Clear
St. Paul	78 Cloudy
Los Angeles	70 Cloudy
New Orleans	80 Cloudy
Seattle	66 Cloudy
Tampa	92 Cloudy

Weather Forecast.

Washington, July 14.—Indications for tomorrow: Ohio—Fair.

## WIT AND NEAR-WIT

## Patricia's Bathing Suit.

The bathing suit Patricia wears would make the prudish frown, although it really covers more than did her winter gown. Oh, Fashion is a freakish dame—that much we can't deny. How many men would now be blind if looking cost an eye!—Baltimore Sun.

## Slightly Mixed.

He—My dear, our neighbor, Mr. Smith, the paper says this morning, is a bachelor of arts.

She—Then the paper doesn't know what it's talking about. You know as well as I do that Smith is a married man.

## Immune From Darkness.

"England doesn't take to baseball" Pity, too. They could play all kinds of innings."

"What do you mean?"

"Why, I've often heard that the sun never sets on the British empire."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## All Present.

"My dear fellow, you rich men are lucky. Here when you want a country home, you have all kinds of sites about you."

"Yes—including parasites."—Life.

## Playing it Safe.

"Yes, my son is going to spend a few days in the city."

"He'll get bunked sure."

"Well, he's sure of car fare home. He's wearing a \$10 bill underneath a porous plaster on his chest."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one hundred disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is a positive and well known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, and removing the cause of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have offered one hundred dollars for any case that falls to cure. Send for list ofimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Handicapped.

"Down in my part of the country if a man lays 50 cents on a stump and hoots like an owl he can get a quart of wildcat whisky."

"That wouldn't help me any. When I'm very dry I can't hoot"—Baltimore Sun.

## TEDDY WON BY WOMEN

New York, July 14.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt wants women delegates elected to the state constitutional convention next year. He says so emphatically in a letter which he has written to Lillian D. Wald, chairman of a committee that is striving to that end. The colonel says it will be a "rank injustice" if women are not elected to the convention.

## WOMAN WINS JUST THE SAME

Washington, July 14.—Miss Atene Heiner will be reappointed postmaster at Hawking Rock, O., on the recommendation of Senator Pomerene, although in a competitive examination for the place she was beaten by a man, William C. McKee.

## MURDER MYSTERY BELIEVED SOLVED

Schenectady, N. Y., July 14.—The Mohawk river mystery which has been puzzling the authorities for several weeks is believed to have been solved. District Attorney Blessing announced that he was positive that the victim of the tragedy was a Polish woman known as Eva, and employed as an attendant at the Hotel Foster in this city for two weeks, and that her slayer is now in New York city, where he went ten days after the murderer was committed in a little shack within a mile of the spot where the torso was found in the river. It is known the two began living together May 25 in the small building, which was furnished with expensive furniture.

## CHURCH RAZED

Dayton, July 14.—The highest degree of heat that has prevailed in this city for thirty years was broken by rain, wind and lightning. The Ebenezer church, situated north of the city, was destroyed.

## UTAH'S NATURAL BRIDGE.

The Secret of Its Origin Somewhat Puzzles the Scientists.

What is thought to be the largest natural bridge in the world is that of southwestern Utah, known as the George natural bridge. The total length of this great work of nature is about 200 feet; its width—i. e., the "roadway"—is about thirty-five feet; the span in the clear is about ninety feet. At the base there flows a small water course which, during the hot months, dwindles to a mere rivulet.

Scientists are somewhat perplexed to explain the means by which nature produced this bridge. It is thought hardly possible that it could have been created by water erosion, unless, as was most unlikely, there was a very large and swift stream flowing at the point where the brook now runs.

Some authorities are inclined to the view that this bridge was due to volcanic action, occurring at some remote geological period.

Although long known to the Indians, it was not until about fifteen years ago that white men became familiar with the sight of it. Mining prospectors were the first of the whites to see it, since it is located in the heart of a very rugged and inaccessible region.

The span is composed of a dark brown sandstone of unusual hardness, and the thickness of the span is twenty feet or more.

Engineers who have examined this bridge assert that it is perfectly safe and secure and that it is fully capable of sustaining an immense weight, especially as the span is free from flaws or seams.—Washington Star.

## Birds That Fight Eagles.

In Foula, one of the Shetland islands, the natives make a business of rearing skua gulls in order to rid the islands of eagles that congregate there and commit many depredations. The magnificent red sandstone cliffs that skirt the northwestern coast became a favorite haunt of the eagles, and in this inaccessible spot they increased so rapidly that they became a terror to the farmers and fishermen who dwell on this isolated spot. The skua gulls are also strong and fierce and the inveterate foes of the eagle. In battle the gulls are nearly always victorious, and so the inhabitants of Foula hit upon the novel plan of feeding and caring for the skua gulls, which, though formidable to their feathered enemies, are very peaceful and docile when brought in contact with man.—Dallas News.

## SOLD DIRECT TO CONSUMERS

## NATURE'S MEAL!

New Flour Compound, guaranteed by the makers to correct indigestion, etc. We will make 50 loaves of it tomorrow, to start with. If it does not help the worst case of stomach trouble or indigestion we are told to refund your money. A big Chicago baker uses it in buns, rolls and pie-crust with remarkable success. We will wrap the Nature's Meal Bread in "Glad Bread" wrappers, and your grocer can supply you, or get it at

## SAUER'S BAKERY, Butter-Krust Headquarters

## SENATE FOR OLD MILEAGE

Washington, July 14.—Fifty-five senators voted to stand by the old mileage allowance in the legislative, executive and judicial bill. Only seven voted to instruct the senate conference on the bill to recede and accept the house provision reducing the mileage.

## JUSTICE AND LUNCHEON.

They Seemed to Clash a Trifle, So the Court Made a Change.

It was formerly the practice of the supreme court to sit from 12 noon until 4 o'clock continuously on each day that it was in session. From time to time, as the afternoon progressed, the justices, one or two at a time, would slip out of their seats, snatch a bite of luncheon and return. Sometimes as many as four or five of them would be off the bench at once. They usually had their luncheon brought to them by their messengers and ate it in the little curtained recess behind the bench, and as the argument progressed there could be plainly heard in the courtroom the clink of knife and fork on plate and what O. Henry has called "the crash of dishes on the American plan."

One day a lawyer pleading a case made bold to enter a protest. He most solemnly inquired if he could count upon the continuous and undivided attention of even one justice to the thread of his argument. "The personnel of the court has been twice entirely changed since I began," he said plaintively.

The court deigned no response, but on the following Monday it was announced from the bench that a recess for luncheon thereafter would be taken every day from 2 to 2:30 o'clock and that the court would sit until 4:30 o'clock every afternoon. —World's Work.

Playwright and Producer. A good theatrical story was told by Jerome K. Jerome at the O. P. club dinner to dramatic authors.

"I spoke to an eminent producer not long ago," he said, "about a play a young friend of mine had sent to him. He remembered it.

"Ah, yes," he said. "Not at all bad. There's an idea in it."

"Later on it was produced, and after the show I went behind."

"Well," said the eminent producer, "what did you think of it?"

"Oh, all right!" I said. "It seems all correct. But what about that idea?"

"He didn't seem to understand."

"The idea," I reminded him; "you said there was an idea in it."

"He remembered then. 'Ah, yes,' he said. 'Yes; we had to cut that out.'"

Pall Mall Gazette.

## FRANKM. FULLERTON

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120 acres; splendid land; 7-room house; good barn, out-buildings; 2 miles of two elevators.

526 acres. The best farm I ever offered in Ohio. For one-half less in price than same quality of land in Illinois could be bought for. "Nuf Sed".

192 acres; good land, 7-room house, good barn, orchard; a barn-gain.

172 acres about like the 526 acres tract.

400 acres; 4 barns, two silos, 150 acres; blue grass. See this.

825 acres, not a great ways from Mt. Sterling. Must be sold to settle an estate.

228 acres that if you have the money you had better see this farm.

258 acres; 8-room, slate roof, brick house; good tenant house; good barn, 11 miles of State House, Columbus.

Best City Property for sale.

I have many others.

If you want a farm see me.

# NEARLY ELECTROCUTED BY TOUCHING CONDUIT

Worley Melvin, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Melvin, of South North street, was nearly electrocuted at the King Ice Cream plant on South Fayette street shortly before eleven o'clock Tuesday morning, when he touched an electric wire conduit which was highly charged with electricity. He is now out of danger.

The lad, who is employed at the King plant, was busy at work, when Orie Bennett, another youth employed at the plant, had his hand burned when he accidentally placed his hand near the conduit containing the highly charged wire.

The melyn boy saw what had happened, and as he had frequently placed his hand upon the conduit, he walked across the room and remarking that he could touch the pipe without being hurt, laid his hand upon it.

Instantly his body was charged with a high voltage of electricity and his screams for help were quickly silenced by the deadly current which

coursed through his body and into the wet floor, his body forming a means of grounding the current.

Fellow employees tried to rescue the lad, but they were shocked before they could lay hands upon him.

Finally, after holding to the conduit a few moments, the lad dropped limply to the floor, to all appearances stone dead. A doctor was summoned at once and administered restoratives until the heart began to beat very faintly, when the lad was rushed to the Fayette Hospital where he remained unconscious for some time but finally grew stronger and revived.

He was later taken to his home, very weak, but apparently out of danger.

Steps were at once taken to prevent a reoccurrence of such an accident. Some of the insulation had allowed the charged wire to come in contact with the conduit, with the result that the protection to the wire had become a thing of death.

## ADDING MEMBERS TO THE Y. M. C. A.

A specially called meeting of the membership committee of the Y. M. C. A. was held Monday night to discuss the membership proposition and to begin action in a determined effort to bring the Association's roll to a greater figure than it has ever heretofore enjoyed.

The work will continue indefinitely and its first results will be known next Monday evening when the workers meet to report. The committee is composed of fifteen well known Washington men and its success is not even doubted.

The effort being made along this line is the same as is being manifested in every department of the Association work since, at the close of the successful \$25,000 campaign, the directors buckled down to make it not only a sustaining but a paying institution.

## NEW XENIA BANK

Articles of incorporation have been taken out for The Farmers & Merchants Bank, a new institution at Xenia. The incorporators are George Little, C. L. Darlington, C. H. Little, J. C. Dodds, H. L. Sayre.

## FOUR PLACES ENTERED BY BURGLARS AT GOOD HOPE

Pair of Robbers Force Way Into Two Stores, Elevator Office and D. T. & I. Depot at Good Hope During Night and Escape With Small Sum Of Money and Quite a Number of Old Coins.

Burglars visited Good Hope sometime during Monday night, entering the D. T. & I. depot, Moore & Black's elevator office; Ace Murray's place of business and the store of N. A. Divens, obtaining in all a very small sum in small coins, a box of cigars and several old coins.

In each instance the men gained entrance by forcing a window, either breaking the glass or fastenings on the window. It was evident that they had taken their time to their work, and had started at Ace Murray's butcher shop and ice cream parlor, where they found a small amount in change, and made off with the change and a box of cigars, leaving the interior of the store badly torn up.

The N. A. Divens building, formerly occupied by the postoffice, was next visited, and a number of old

coins of small value, removed from a show case. A diligent search had been made for other valuables, but nothing else was missing.

At the elevator office everything had been ransacked but not a penny rewarded the efforts of the burglars.

A window of the depot was forced and a suit-case in the baggage room was rifled, but nothing of value taken from it. A chewing gum slot machine, containing a handful of one-cent pieces, was carried down the railroad track a short distance, broken open and the gum and coins removed.

About one o'clock Tuesday morning a woman residing near the Murray place of business, heard a noise, and looking out saw two persons evidently young men, walking down the street, and it is supposed that the pair had just finished their work at the Murray place and were headed for the next place they had picked out.

It is believed that the pair was either from Greenfield or this city, but as the town has been visited a number of times by a gang of Greenfield thieves, it is thought the men came from that town.

Weather for Ohio—Thunder showers this afternoon and tonight. Wednesday fair.

## There Is a Time For Everything

so it is said, but any time and all time  
IS THE TIME to buy from us and save  
money.

We Welcome Critical Eyes

DALE

## LIGHTNING STRIKES EAST STREET HOME

The residence of Mrs. Ruth Dahl, on East street, was struck by lightning during the storm which passed over the city between five and six o'clock Monday evening.

The bolt hit the tower, ran down the tower to the roof and knocked off a few shingles. No one was stunned by the bolt, and the damage done to the residence was very slight.

## CEMETERY TREES SUFFER GREATLY

The wind storm of Monday afternoon created havoc in the Washington cemetery, and in addition to tearing off scores of limbs and twisting several small trees off, the wind tore out the largest tree in the cemetery, a huge elm standing near the west-

ern part of the cemetery. Driveways were strewn with broken boughs and the twisted trees were in evidence at various points in the beautiful cemetery. Immediately after the storm the well-kept grounds hardly resembled the Washington cemetery.

Men were put to work immediately to clean up the broken branches and remove the fallen trees, so that within the next few days scarred trees will alone tell the tale of ruin which swept over the grounds.

## BARN TWISTED SILO WRECKED

At New Holland Monday afternoon, the storm was almost as fierce as it was in this city.

A silo on the Lotte Thomas farm was wrecked, and a barn owned by Scott Taylor, was twisted several feet off its foundation.

No other serious damage is reported.

## LIGHTNING BOLT KILLS TWO MEN NEAR WATERLOO

James Daney and Carl Gerhardt instantly killed in Barn Where They Had Taken Refuge From Storm. Companion Escapes Without Injury—Young Man Leaves Bride of Few Weeks.

Two men who had taken refuge in a barn a few miles from Waterloo in the Cronover Mill neighborhood, were instantly killed by a thunder bolt Monday afternoon.

The dead are: James Daney, 70, a civil war veteran, and his grandson Carl Gerhardt, 19.

The tragedy occurred on the Harry Beale farm.

S. M. Kendrick, father-in-law of the young man, was standing within a few feet of the two men when the fatal bolt fell, but escaped without serious injury.

## FORMER MAYOR PLACED ON TRIAL

Athens, Ohio, July 14.—Former Mayor Charles H. Slaughter, of this city, was placed on trial today on a charge of having embezzled \$200 from Athens county, which had been paid in as fines.

Alleged discrepancies in his accounts were reported by a State Examiner. The former Mayor is said to owe the city of Athens about \$4,000 in fines collected.

Other Ohio municipal executives are to be tried on similar charges, as a result of examinations made by Examiner Bliss and others.

## GEORGE T. MARYE OF CALIFORNIA IS NEW RUSSIAN AMBASSADOR

George T. Marye, the newly appointed ambassador to Russia, is a retired stockbroker, who at one time was president of the San Francisco Stock Exchange. Born in Baltimore in 1849, his father took him west in the early days of the gold rush. Mr. Marye was educated in Cambridge, England; Paris, Berlin and Barcelona, with the original intention of practicing law, and was admitted to the bar. Although he abandoned his profession for business, he retained his interest in scholarship and for one term served as regent of the University of California.

Don't overlook that part of the law, that you took an oath to faithfully comply with, to the effect

"That in the formation of

supervision districts, consideration shall be given to the number of teachers employed, the amount of consolidation, and centralization, etc.

Do not overlook the fact that we

already have centralization in consider-

able territory, hence it follows that

the work of the District Superintend-

ent in this territory, is less burden-

some.

Do not employ any County Super-

intendent, under any circumstances

for more than one year. If he is not

a success, you will be rid of him at

the end of the term, if he is success-

ful, you can re-employ him. If hired

for only one year, it will be an in-

centive for him to make an honest

effort, but if for three years, he may

not be so interested.

Do not forget that this is a new

law, that has been urged by many

of the Educational Societies, for

many years. It may or may not be

all that some of us desired but do

not blight its prospects by using it

to the injury of tax payers, and re-

wards to the political worker.

A County Taxpayer.

Keep the schools out of politics.

Don't divide up the counties into

more Supervision Districts than nec-

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# Washington's Chautauqua

## HAS THE GREATEST PROGRAM EVER OFFERED IN THE STATE

We call attention of the people of Washington and Fayette county to it is to hear this Chautauqua there the fact that an institution of greatest worth is to be brought into our

midst, beginning Thursday and continuing for one week.

Note the strong program printed elsewhere in this paper—A program if bought independently that would do not sell 750 tickets, but we are have cost us at least \$2,500. The sorry to see Washington fail in its company—Coit-Alber, of Cleveland support of an institution so worthy—furnish a fine waterproof auditorium, the most up-to-date and magnificent in equipment, lighting, seating and stage, that has ever been used by any Chautauqua. The fourteen towns just closed all ready. The price is now \$2.00 for a port with the highest praise of the season ticket.

The public will attend and pay their 50c at the gate and be out

est event ever held in the city. A much more than the cost of a season ticket and will not be boasting us in our effort to do something for this miles around. Splendid talent every day. Over 750 tickets sold for next year."

Other places that were slow in getting off their 750 tickets and had to make it up, say: "If we only had

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. George Carey has returned from a two weeks' visit in Elmira, N. Y.

Miss Virginia Campbell left Tuesday for Bainbridge, to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Campbell.

Mrs. Melt Barr and two children, of Ashland, who have been the guests of Mrs. Barr's sister, Mrs. Henry Brownell, the past two weeks, returned to their home Tuesday. Mr. Barr joined his family at the Brownell home to spend Sunday and accompany them home.

Miss Julia Bowman arrives from Greensburg, Pa., Wednesday to visit her brother, Mr. L. L. Bowman and family.

Miss Minnie Williams of Newark is visiting her niece, Miss Emily Tansey.

Thomas Cullen left Tuesday morning for Lansing, Mich., to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wade McMasters for the coming two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pensyl and daughter, Mrs. Estel Smith, of Millidgeville, have been called to Columbus by the serious illness of Mr. and Mrs. Pensyl's daughter, Mrs. Dowdy.

Mrs. D. S. Craig, Miss Marjorie Workman, of Decatur, Ala., Miss Charlotte Dahl, Messrs. Maynard Craig and Willard Willis, motored to Columbus Tuesday to meet Miss Elizabeth Keith, of Nashville, Tenn., who will be Miss Dahl's guest.

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Robinson are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, Monday morning.

Mrs. Elizabeth Post left Tuesday morning for Middletown to visit her son, Mr. Frank Post, and family.

Mr. Willis Stutson and little daughter Elizabeth arrived from Cleveland Monday afternoon. Mr. Stutson bringing his daughter for a two months' visit with her aunt, Mrs. Joe S. Wilson and Mrs. Alice Card.

### CLOCKS

We have all kinds of Clocks for all kinds of Purposes. All one Quality—THE BEST—and all at Popular Prices.

**C. A. Gossard & Co.**  
JEWELERS  
Washington C. H., Ohio

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. McCoy returned from Dayton Monday evening.

Mrs. Hoover and two daughters, Emma and Verna, of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hoover, of Bowersville, were motoring guests of Miss Emma Mershon and Mr. Ed Mershon Sunday.

Howard DeWitt has been on a motoring trip to Detroit, Mich., Dayton, Toledo and Columbus. He is now in Cincinnati.

Mr. James Sylvester was the guest Monday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sylvester, enroute to his home in Bainbridge.

Mrs. G. C. Henkle and daughter, Miss Beatrice, and Miss Gladys Henkle, of Chicago, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. A. C. Henkle, left Tuesday afternoon for Mt. Sterling, where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Sylvester is visiting her brother, Mr. S. O. Clyborn, in Sabina.

Mrs. Paul Palmer has returned from visits in Geneva, Ind., and Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant DeWitt, son Jack and daughter Miss Nelle, made a motoring trip of 150 miles Monday, visiting Hartford City, Ind., Union City, Ind., Dayton and other cities, enroute. Mr. DeWitt claims the record trip having made the entire trip in 5 hours and twenty minutes, on four and a half gallons of gasoline. Miss Ruby Bowdell accompanied the DeWitts from Hartford City to be their guest for the remainder of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Fisher, of Mishawka, Ind., are visiting Mrs. Mrs. Fisher's sister, Miss Anna Miller, and the Misses Adams.

Miss Jennie McCoy, who was called from Washington, D. C., to the home of her brother, Mr. Frank McCoy, of Bloomingburg, by the death of her mother, Mrs. Eleanor McCoy, returned to her home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Parrett, of Mt. Sterling, are motoring guests here today.

Mr. A. L. Cherry, of Ghormley Station, is a business visitor in town today.

Mrs. Frank Hays left Tuesday for a two weeks' visit with relatives in Marion and Springfield.

Earl Horney is visiting friends in Huntington and Wayne, W. Va. He expects to be away a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McLean, daughter Katharine, with their guests, Mrs. George Fabb and son Charles, of Indianapolis, Ind., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Ridgle in London, Sunday.

Mr. Jerome Taylor was a business visitor in Columbus Monday.

Dr. Roy Brown was called to Columbus professionally Monday.

Doris Carr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Carr, was able to leave the Fayette Hospital after a two weeks' stay, and return to her home in Jeffersonville.

The damage case of Alvin Stookey against Humphrey Jones, will be taken up Monday of next week, and Judge Frank Davis, of Clermont county will preside.

The case will be tried before a jury and a special venire will probably be issued this week.

**MANUSCRIPT COVERS.**  
The Berkshire Line—assorted colors in stock at Rodecker's News Stand \$1.00 per box.

**MILKING GAME TO BE RENEWED?**  
Detroit, Mich., July 14.—The announcement that at least \$1,000,000 is to be spent at once on terminal facilities of the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railroad was made yesterday after a meeting of the directors of the road in this city. Ultimately, it is said, \$6,000,000 to \$7,000,000 more will be spent in developing the Detroit terminal.

While it was denied by President Kurn, of the D. T. & I., that the men who attended a directors' meeting here were connected in any way with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company or any other railroad, it is openly predicted that ultimately the property bought recently through a receivership in the United States Court is to be absorbed by a larger system seeking terminal facilities in Detroit.

**MISS NELDA JAEGER,  
ONLY WOMAN POLICE JUDGE IN AMERICA**

Tacoma, Wash., July 14.—Miss Nelda Jaeger is the only woman police judge in the United States. This clever lawyer, who bears a high reputation at the bar in this city, was appointed because of her activity in child welfare work. She presides daily over one of the police courts here and her decisions have met with public praise.



### "SOLOMON'S TEMPLE" STILL GOES UPWARD

Another addition has been added to "Solomon's Temple," as the little "private" grandstand on Columbus avenue opposite the ball grounds has been dubbed.

The stand was erected so Jackson and his friends could remain on their own premises and view the ball game, and when the stand was erected, the management of the ball team promptly increased the height of the canvas about the ball grounds in order that no one might witness the game without paying the customary fee.

Realizing that it was his move next if he wanted to witness the game, the owner of the grand stand promptly increased the height of the stand in order that the game might be in full view. This increase has been made several times until the stand now reaches a height which calls for more canvas if the "grandstanders" are prevented from witnessing the games.

The presence of the stand is so self explanatory that the passerby invariably comments upon its presence.

It is claimed that the proprietor charges a fee of ten cents and invariably has his grandstand packed with base ball enthusiasts.

### GROVE RUINED AND HAY IS BLOWN AWAY

The beautiful grove near the R. W. Marchant home in Jaspar township, was completely ruined by the wind storm of Monday afternoon, and several hay stacks were blown completely away.

The trees in the grove were twisted off, torn up by the roots, and left in a tangled mass. The roadway was completely blocked by the tree trunks and limbs. The storm apparently centered on the Marchant farm.

Part of a hay stack a quarter of a mile distant from the Marchant farm was picked up and carried across two fields and deposited against the Marchant home.

Other farms in the neighborhood of Plymouth and Millidgeville suffered heavily, and in addition to much timber being destroyed, and fences blown down and scattered, several buildings were partly wrecked and crops damaged.

### LIGHTNING FREAK

Lightning struck a pitchfork carried by William Wilson, in Ross county, Monday afternoon, and the man was probably fatally injured.

Wilson and others were leaving the harvest field when the bolt fell and shattered the pitchfork he carried. At last reports the man was still unconscious. Practically all the hair on the man's head was burned off by the flash.



Regular meeting of Crusade Castle K. G. E., 7:30 p. m. Wednesday. A full attendance is desired.

Chas. Householder, N. C.

J. F. Adams, M. of R.

# S. S. Cockerill & Son GROCERIES - QUEENSWARE

## Special Price on Jergen's Toilet Soap

We handle a full line of this well-known make. The quality is of the best, only fine vegetable oils being used in the manufacture. Special this week:

10c Bars Geranium Bath	2 for 15c
10c Bars Peroxide	2 for 15c
5c Bars Cocoa Castile	7 for 25c

We recommend especially the Peroxide Bath Soap on account of antiseptic qualities.

## The season of the year is at hand when you will be compelled to replenish your Supply of Jelly Glasses

We are making a special price this week on the squat-shape jelly tumblers. In the last two years this tumbler has taken the place of the old style tall glass. Regular price 25c per dozen.

**Special this week 20c doz.**

**Blackberries from the hills 10c qt. \$3.20 bu**

**Received today our first shipment of Indiana Gem Canteloupes.**  
Extra fine quality. **2 for 25c.**

## MADISON COUNTY SELLS HER BONDS

### EVIDENTLY FOUND HER LOST HUSBAND

London, Ohio, July 14.—An issue of \$55,000 of Madison County road bonds sold to Weil, Roth & Co., of Cincinnati, Ohio, at a premium of \$1,122.

### BUILDING WRECKED AT BLOOMINGBURG

The frame-work of a new residence owned by John Smith and located near the school house in Bloomingburg, was completely wrecked during the windstorm which swept over the county Monday afternoon.

Many timbers were broken and the framework so badly damaged that the owner will be put to considerable expense to repair the damages.

### BRIDGE CHARGED

A broken electric wire touching the bridge over Paint creek on South North street, charged the bridge with "juice" Monday afternoon, and several persons were slightly shocked.

Howard Fogle, in attempting to drive across the bridge, discovered that his horse was being shocked, and the animal backed off before any serious damage was done.

### CLINES SUFFER IN FRANKFORT

The residence of John T. Cline, in Frankfort was partly destroyed by fire, Monday. The blaze was started by painters who were burning paint off the house with gasoline torches.

During the storm Monday afternoon a large tree crushed in the residence of the Widow Cline, at Frankfort. Mrs. Cline escaped injury.

### NEW VETERINARIAN

Dr. F. J. Morris, veterinarian, is now located permanently at the Geo. R. Cox & Son livery stable and ready for business. Dr. Morris has had practical experience under some of the best practitioners of veterinary surgery in the state and is himself qualified according to law for the practice of his profession. He solicits the patronage of the public day or night.

Cost little; pay much—Want ads.

# Kinney's

Special For Wednesday

Soft RIB and Plate Roasts, 10c a pound.

A full line of Fresh and Cured Meats.

Dried Beef, Boiled Ham, Minced Ham, Bologna, Weiners and Smoked Sausage.

Fine Fry Chickens and Fat Hens

New Potatoes, Beets, Cabbage Cucumbers, Green Beans

Canteloupes and Watermelons on ice.

Sweet and Sour Pickles.

Both Phones. Orders Delivered.

# Chautauqua Week!

WASHINGTON C. H.

ON EAST END SCHOOL GROUNDS

July 16 = 22

Adults Season ticket \$2.00

This Great Program is made possible by many of your leading citizens.

Season Tickets Are On Sale At All Stores and Banks In This City.

## MARINES TO END REBEL ACTIVITY

American Force to Be Landed In Haiti and San Domingo.

### NAVY ACTS AT BRYAN'S REQUEST

Seven Hundred Men Ordered Assembled at Guantanamo, Cuba, to Be Held in Readiness For Service In the Revolution-Rent Island—American Lives and Property In Need of Protection.

Washington, July 14.—Seven hundred marines were ordered assembled at Guantanamo, Cuba, to be held in readiness for service in revolution-torn Haiti and Santo Domingo.

The navy department acted at the request of Secretary Bryan, who asked that the fleet be prepared to deal with any emergency that might arise on the turbulent little island. The marines will be gathered from those now on duty in Mexican waters and from the marine barracks in Philadelphia and Norfolk.

At Guantanamo the force will be only a day's sail from the north coast of Haiti and San Domingo, and their proximity is expected to impress upon the revolutionary leaders the determination of the American government to terminate their activities by forcible means unless they listen to the

warnings already given.

The situation in San Domingo has come to be regarded as almost hopeless of a cure from within, while in Haiti conditions are a little better.

Acting Secretary Roosevelt announced the action in the following statement:

"Numerous appeals from time to time have been made for the protection of American life and property on the island of Haiti, which has been jeopardized by various bands of revolutionists operating both in Haiti and San Domingo. Dispatches from there indicating that these conditions will probably continue for some time, it has been decided to place a small force of marines where they will be available in case any emergency should arise which would make it advisable for them to be on hand for the protection of life and property."

### BAKER INVITED TO WHITE HOUSE

Washington, July 14.—President Wilson telegraphed an invitation to S. V. Bettron of the banking firm of Bettron, Griscom and Company of New York to come to the White House for a conference on the business situation and anti-trust legislation.

Buy at home Boost Washington.

### SPEED AND ACCURACY IN REPAIRS

Factory On The Premises

### A CLARK GOSSARD

Optometrist and Optician

South Fayette Street

SUPERINTENDENT  
FRED E. BAKER

### PROGRAMS BEGIN PROMPTLY

Afternoon Music 2:30 Evening Music 7:30  
Afternoon Lecture 3:15 Evening Entertainment 8:15  
(Hours subject to change by announcement the first day)

### THURSDAY

Afternoon—Address By Superintendent  
Concert The Beulah Buck Quartet Co  
Admission 25c. Children 15c  
Evening—Concert The Beulah Buck Quartet Co  
Featuring Musical Sketch "The Old Melodion"  
Lecture Sylvester A. Long  
"Lightning and Toothpicks."  
Admission 50c. Children 25c

### FRIDAY

Afternoon—Concert The Southern Jubilee Singers and Players  
Vocal and Instrumental  
Lecture Dr. Daniel McGurk  
Admission 35c. Children 25c  
Evening—Concert The Southern Jubilee Singers and Players  
Plantation Melodies  
Great Entertainment of Magic and  
Illusions Totten & Co.  
Admission 50c. Children 25c

### SATURDAY

#### Women's Day

Afternoon—Concert The Pilgrim Girls Orchestra  
Great Debate on Woman Suffrage  
In Favor Mrs. Robt. M. LaFollette  
Against Miss Lucy J. Price  
Admission 50c. Children 25c  
Evening—Concert The Pilgrim Girls Orchestra  
And Mara W. Conover, Reader  
Lecture Mrs. Elizabeth Glendower Evans  
"An Interview at The White House."  
Admission 50c. Children 25c

### SUNDAY

#### Community Betterment Day

Afternoon—Sacred Concert Stratford Male Quartet  
Sermon-Lecture Dr. Glenn Frank of Northwestern University  
"The Good Wrong Man."  
Admission 35c. Children 25c  
Vesper Services.

Evening—Sacred Concert Stratford Male Quartet  
Lecture Ben R. Vardaman,  
Editor Merchant's Journal  
"How to Make This Community Better."  
Admission 50c. Children 25c

### MONDAY

#### Band Day

Afternoon—Grand Band Concert Quintano's Royal Italian Band  
Lecture Roland A. Nichols  
"The Man Worth While."  
Admission 35c. Children 25c

Evening—Band Concert Quintano's Royal Italian Band  
Entertainment Sidney W. Landon  
"Speaking Likenesses of Great Men."  
Admission 50c. Children 25c

### TUESDAY

Afternoon—Concert Chautauqua Festival Artists  
Dr. A. J. Harpin, Eminent Basso;  
Ethel Lee Buxton, Soprano;  
Madge Murphy, Violinist.  
Lecture Dr. Lincoln Wirt, F. R. G. S.  
"The Conquest of The Arctic."  
Admission 50c. Children 25c

Evening—Concert Chautauqua Festival Artists  
Illustrated Lecture Dr. Lincoln Wirt, F. R. G. S.  
"The Panama Canal and The Panama  
Pacific Exposition."  
Admission 50c. Children 25c

### WEDNESDAY

Afternoon—Lecture Senator Robt. M. LaFollette  
"Representative Government."  
(Appearance subject to non-interference with public duty.)  
Admission 50c. Children 25c

Evening—Brief Addresses by Prominent Citizens.  
Grand Closing Entertainment and Concert  
J. H. Balmer, F. R. G. S. and His Wonder-  
ful Singing Kaffir Boys.  
Most unique and interesting entertainment in the world  
Admission 50c. Children 25c

## MILK SHIPPERS ARE BENEFITED

Columbus, July 14.—Milk shippers who use the Ohio Electric railroad for their carrier will be gratified to learn that the road has submitted to the ruling of the state utilities commission, which materially reduced the rates that have been effective since April 1. The schedule of rates as allowed by the commission has been filed with that body and will be effective tomorrow. Milk shippers thus will be saved about \$18,000 yearly by the commission's action.

## NECK BROKEN BUT GOOD YET

Cincinnati, July 14.—Ed Smith, ex-lieutenant of the Cincinnati fire department, who was retired about two months ago because of a broken neck received at a fire, rescued a man and boy from the Ohio river after their skiff had overturned.

## SAFE CRACKED

Norwalk, O., July 14.—Cracksman dynamited the postoffice safe in the general store of W. T. Palmer at New Haven, Huron county, escaping with \$65 in cash and \$100 in stamps.

## DEFIANCE CROPS

Defiance, O., July 14.—Defiance county's wheat crop approximates 330,000 bushels, which is 50,000 bushels greater than last year. The corn crop will be a big one.

### Swam Too Long.

The attorneys for the prosecution and defense had been allowed fifteen minutes each to argue the case. The attorney for the defense had commenced his argument with an allusion to the swimming hole of his boyhood days. He told in florid oratory of the balmy air, the singing birds, the joy of youth, the delights of the cool water. And in the midst of it he was interrupted by the drawing voice of the judge, "Come out, Chawney," he said, "and put on your clothes. Your fifteen minutes are up."

We have committed the Golden Rule to memory. Now let us commit it to life.—Markham.

## TRACEABLE TO WOMAN

### PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

#### Mastoiditis.

Mastoiditis is a dangerous disease, and the importance of detecting it in its earliest stages must never be overlooked. Delay means a fearful operation or death. Mastoiditis is recognized by pressing the hard, ridge-like bone behind the ear. Tenderness there, especially if combined with a running ear, is an almost certain proof of mastoiditis. It is always wise to consult a physician when trouble starts in the ear.

### INDIRECT LIGHTING.

The New System Which Uses the Ceiling as a Diffuser.

In this indirect system of lighting was invented about five years ago by an illuminating engineer in Chicago, who, while experimenting to find something that would diffuse light and yet keep it away from the eyes, tried turning the shades on his fixtures upside down. The effect led him to see the possibilities of using the ceiling as a diffuser of light and resulted in his working out the indirect method.

In this fixture a cup or bowl like shape are used, hung from the ceiling by chains or rods. The container is entirely opaque, either of metal or some metallic substance that prevents any light from coming through and forces it against the ceiling by means of powerful reflectors with which the container is lined. In some types the container has a highly glazed enamel lining which acts as a reflector. By this method the light is diffused evenly over an entire room, lighting up the corners and enabling every one in the room to see equally well.

The effect of this kind of lighting is interesting to watch. There are no pucker brows, no strained look on the faces of people who are reading or working in a room so illuminated. The eyes and nerves have involuntarily relaxed, and a feeling of well-being and repose that must be experienced to be appreciated takes the place of the high strung, overwrought, nervous state induced by glaring, unshaded "direct" lights.—World's Work.

#### Amended.

Little Leander—Say, grandpa, give me a penny, will you? Grandpa—Why, Lemuel, you are too old to be begging for pennies. Little Leander—Yes, grandpa. Make it a dime, please.—Chicago News.

#### All to His Credit.

"My dear," he said, "you are superb! To any man a credit. You'll be the reigning belle tonight," and kissed her as he said it.

"My love, I'm glad you like my clothes," with beating heart she said it. "Because this party gown and wrap are also to your credit!"—Stray Stories.

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Child's Sea- \$1.00  
son ticket

Buy a  
Season Ticket  
and save money

The Single  
Admissions  
to the different  
sessions of the  
Chautauqua  
aggregate more  
than \$6.00

Large Tent  
Comfortable Chairs  
Inspiration  
Moral Uplift  
Community  
Betterment

Wanted a Little Praise Himself.  
Following a disastrous fire in a western city, many men and women gathered to look at the ruins. Some of the men, seeing that a wall near which they were standing was toppling, made haste to get out of the way and narrowly escaped being crushed.

Johnny Brabson, a good Irish citizen, was so near the wall that he could not escape with the others. So, whirling about, he made for a door in the wall, burst through it and came out on the other side safe and evidently very proud of his exploit. Women who had shut their eyes and shrieked when they saw his danger now gathered round him in great joy and cried out:

"Praise heaven, Johnny Brabson, down on your knees and thank heaven!"

"Yis, yis," said he, "and I will, but wasn't it injunious in me, now?" Youth's Companion.

Come Women Never Learn.  
"You never put anything where it belongs," he complained.

"Why are you scolding me again, George?" she replied. "What have I done now that is wrong?"

"Every morning I find my knife and my keys in my right hip pocket. Won't you ever learn that I prefer to wear them on the left side?"—Chicago Herald.

## DRUG SUNDRIES

Sundries is a word that covers a multitude of things in a drug store.

For Summer Needs We Have  
A Multitude Of

## SUMMER SUNDRIES

of just the kind you'll want on your trip. Make a note to get something in the Drug Sundry Line when down town again.

## BLACKMER & TANQUARY

DRUGGISTS  
The Rexall Store



# DEEP INTEREST CENTERS IN COMING CHAUTAUQUA

Tickets Going Rapidly and Everything Being Placed in Readiness For Event Which Will Draw Big Crowds to Washington, Beginning Thursday of This Week—Will be Held on East End School Grounds—Splendid Offering Each Day.

Thursday, July 16, this week will witness the opening of the Colt-Alber

## Markets

### Close of Markets Today

By Associated Press.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.  
Chicago, July 14.—Hogs—Receipts 20,000—Market slow—Light workers \$8.60 @ \$8.97 1/2; heavy workers \$8.35 @ \$9.00; pigs \$7.85 @ \$8.85.

Cattle—Receipts 4,000—Market steady—Beefers \$7.70 @ \$10.00; Texas steers \$6.40 @ \$8.35; stockers and feeders \$5.80 @ \$8.10; cows and heifers \$3.90 @ \$9.15; calves \$7.50 @ \$11.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 23,000—Market steady—Sheep, natives \$5.30 @ \$6.10; lambs, natives \$6.40 @ \$9.20.

Pittsburg, July 14.—Hogs—Receipts 1,000—Yorkers and pigs \$9.60.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1,000—Top sheep \$6.25; top lambs \$9.60.

Calves—Receipts 100—Top \$11.

GRAIN MARKET.  
Wheat—July 76 3-4; Sept. 76 7-8.  
Corn—July 68 3-4; Sept. 66 1/2.  
Oats—July 36 5-8; Sept. 34 3-4.  
Pork—July \$22.80; Sept. 26.95.  
Lard—July \$10.27; Sept. 10.40.

THE LOCAL MARKET.  
Corrected Daily at Noon.

Wheat	73c
White corn	70c
Good feeding yellow corn	68c
Oats	37c
Hay No. 1, timothy	\$14.00
Hay No. 2, timothy	\$12.00
Hay No. 1, clover	\$8.00
Hay No. 1, mixed	\$12.00
Straw, dry, per ton	\$5.00
Straw board per ton	\$4.20

Prices Paid for Produce.  
Chickens, young per lb. 24c  
Chickens, old, per lb. 13c  
Eggs, per dozen 18c  
Butter 20c  
New potatoes, selling price, 4c lb.  
Lard, per pound 11c

### Close of Markets Yesterday

(By American Press.)

EAST BUFFALO.  
Cattle—Prime steers, \$9.75@10; ship.  
horses, \$7.50@7.75; butchers, \$7.25@9;  
heifers, \$7.00@7.75; cows, \$3.75@7.50; bulls,  
\$5.25@7.50; stockers and feeders, \$6.50@9;  
calves, \$5.00@11.50.

Hogs—Heavy and mixed, \$3.40; Yorkers  
and pigs, \$9.40@9.50; roughs \$8.80@8.15;  
sheep and lambs, \$2.80@3.00; calves, \$1.40.

CHICAGO.  
Cattle—Reeves, \$7.70@7.95; steers, \$5.00@  
5.50; cows and heifers, \$5.00@5.50; stockers  
and feeders, \$5.80@8.10; calves, \$7.50@  
\$11.

Hogs—Light, \$8.60@9.50; mixed, \$8.50@9.50;  
heavy, \$8.25@9.50; rough, \$8.25@8.50; pigs,  
\$7.80@8.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$5.30@6.10;  
yearlings, \$5.90@7.35; lambs, \$6.40@8.20.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 78c@97c; Corn—No. 2 yellow, 71c; oats—No. 3 white, 37c@  
49c.

Receipts—Cattle, 15,000; hogs, 28,000;  
sheep and lambs, 22,000.

CLEVELAND.

Cattle—Butcher steers, \$7.75@8.50; heifers,  
\$7.25@7.75; butcher bulls, \$6.50@7.75;  
cows, \$4.75@6.50; milkers and springers,  
\$5.00@8.00; calves, \$5.00@11.50.

Hogs—Yorkers, light workers and pigs,  
\$3.90@3.50; heavy and mediums, \$3.25@3.50;  
mixed, \$3.25@3.50; rough, \$3.25@3.50; pigs,  
\$3.25@3.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Clipped wethers,  
\$5.50@6.50; ewes, \$5.00@6.25; lambs, \$7.00.

Receipts—Cattle, 5,000; hogs, 3,500; sheep  
and lambs, 2,500; calves, 400.

PITTSBURGH.

Cattle—Heavy steers, \$9.60; fat steers,  
\$9.15@9.40; heifers, \$7.85@8.40; cows,  
\$4.75@7.75; butcher bulls, \$7.50@7.85;  
milk cows, \$7.00@8.00; calves, \$5.00@  
\$9.25.

Hogs—Prime heavies, \$9.20@9.25; heavy  
mixed, \$9.20@9.35; other grades, \$8.40@  
\$9.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Top sheep, \$6.25;  
top lambs, \$3.00.

Receipts—Cattle, 2,000; hogs, 7,000;  
sheep and lambs, 7,500; calves, 1,000.

CINCINNATI.

Cattle—Steers, \$5.25@5.50; cows, \$3.50@  
\$4.00; heifers, \$4.50@5.50; calves, \$3.00@  
\$4.25.

Hogs—Porkers and butchers, \$3.00@3.50;  
common to choice, \$3.25@3.50; pigs and  
lights, \$2.75@3.00; stags, \$5.25@6.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$2.75@3.00;

lambs, \$3.00@3.50.

Receipts—Cattle, 1,800; hogs, 4,200;  
sheep and lambs, 4,500.

BOSTON.

Wool—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces;  
Delaine washed, 21@22; XX, 29c; half  
blood combing, 27@28c; three-eighths  
blood combing, 27@28c; delaine unwash-  
ed, 27@28c.

TOLEDO.

Wheat, new, 79c@8c; old, 88c; corn, 33c@  
44c; clover seed, \$8.45.

## FULLERTON SUFFERS HEAVY FIRE LOSS

Fire completely wiped out the plant of the South Webster Brick company of Portsmouth Friday night. A. L. Fullerton of Columbus, formerly of this city is president of the company and principal stockholder. His son Humphrey is treasurer of the company.

The big tent will be pitched on the East End school grounds, the location of the chautauqua being changed by Mr. C. E. Bratton, representative of the company, who went over the grounds carefully and found the East End school grounds much better adapted to the chautauqua than the Cherry Hill grounds.

Locally things are progressing well. With more than fifteen young people out selling tickets and a supply on hand in practically every store in the city the ticket stock is being rapidly depleted. The demand is becoming urgent. Those who are buying now are saving fifty cents on the course and seem to be aware of the fact.

For the past several weeks the advertising agents of the company have been doing their work unpretentiously but effectively, and there are few persons in Fayette county who are not fully acquainted with what the Chautauqua is going to offer them and who will not take advantage of it. It is expected that the East End school grounds, on which the Chautauqua is to be held, will be taxed to its limit during the engagement of the entertainers.

In getting the chautauqua here the men who pledged its support each made themselves responsible for tickets to the extent of \$10. They made themselves individually liable for this amount in order that Washington might be treated to something out of the ordinary in the way of entertainment. Now it is the time for the appreciative persons to do their share. By buying season tickets now they are removing the liability from the men who pledged themselves. By buying on the grounds they are paying more for the entertainment and reducing the liability not a cent. The securing of a chautauqua for the next season and others to follow will depend entirely on the outcome, the financial outcome principally, of the one this season.

## YOUNG RUBBER THIEF CAPTURED

A boy giving his name as John Williams, aged 16 years, was arrested on a charge of stealing rubber, Tuesday morning, and later admitted his guilt to the police.

Some 25 pounds of inner tubes for automobile tires were found at a local junk dealer's place where the boy had disposed of the rubber for the sum of between \$2 and \$3. This was given to the officers.

The rubber had been stolen from Chas. Himmiller's barn and from Dr. Brock's garage. Neither of the losers desired to prosecute the lad, and he was taken to the county jail to await further action by the authorities.

It is believed he has been stealing rubber from various parts of the city for some time, as many such thefts have been reported to the police.

## STREET OPENED FOR PAVING IMPROVEMENT

The contractors in charge of the Main street paving, started work Tuesday afternoon, beginning the excavation work.

The macadam removed from the street will be placed on East street between Main and Fayette, improving that thoroughfare.

The Main street improvement will consist of 6 inches of cement, covered with 1 1/2 inches of sand, and the paving brick placed upon the sand, after which the brick will be dressed with asphalt.

DEWITT RETURNS  
POLICE AFTER HIM

Receiving word that Allie DeWitt, erstwhile bootlegger, had returned to the city, after an agreement to remain out of the city, Chief Moore and Patrolman Judy went in search of the man Tuesday afternoon.

DeWitt is said to have dropped back in this city Monday. Old fines aggregating a neat sum became effective with DeWitt's capture inside the city limits.

The man left last Saturday, ostensibly for Portsmouth.

## THE RASH ACT OF 15-YEAR-OLD GIRL

While in a fit of despondency Monday, Jennie Cotterman, 15-year-old girl of Xenia, placed a pistol to her breast and sent a ball crashing through her chest, just above the heart, inflicting a wound which was expected to prove fatal at any moment.

A man residing in the same neighborhood is said to have been responsible for the girl's rash act, and an investigation is now on foot.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Ernest Foland, 22, horseman, South Solon, and Faye Welsh, 18, of Jeffersonville. Justice Craig.

## CRANES HIGHLAND LINEN.

Stationery in the new style envelopes—just received at Rodecker's News Stand. Price reduced to 25c the box, for this week.

## CLASSIFIED

WANTED — Three unfurnished rooms. Mrs. C. Vanpelt, Citz. phone 1751. 164-16.

If you wish beautiful, clear, white clothes, use Red Cross Ball Blue. At all good grocers.

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## GRAND JURY SIFTS CASE

By Associated Press.

Mineola, N. Y., July 14.—The grand jury today took up the case of Mrs. Florence Carman, charged with the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey, one of her husband's patients, on the night of June 30. Dr. Carman was the first witness called. He was on the stand nearly two hours. As he left the grand jury room he refused to say anything about the nature of his testimony but stated that he had not been asked to waive immunity as had been expected.

## DEATHS

MILEY.

The 17-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Miley, of Draper street, died Monday night. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock at the residence. Burial in the White Oak cemetery.

## END OF THE EARTH.

That Great Tragedy May Be 2,000,000 or 95,000,000 Years Away.

Scientists tell us that life on the earth began about 2,000,000 years ago. It has generally been accepted that life will last for 95,000,000 years.

"Ninety-five million years is a fairly long time. None of us who are alive today need worry about what will take place 95,000,000 years hence. Even the most altruistic can scarcely be inspired by love for an inconceivably remote

future.

But the French savants are altogether disturbing. Here comes one, M. Verrouet, who says that the earth will permanently freeze within the next 2,000,000 years and that life will vanish. This is bringing the tragedy nearer home. We would gladly accept the older reckoning.

Verrouet places mankind of today about midway between the beginning and the end. He computes that in the future life will exist as long as it has already existed. He specifies only one forty-eighth as long a life as those who have studied in the past.

There is only one consolation to be derived from the Verrouet reckoning. As far as the influence of today is concerned 2,000,000 years is as good as 95,000,000. In either event those who are comfortably laboring today cannot

expect to be lovingly remembered when the cataclysm of ice makes the earth a barren wilderness.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

An Eye to the Future.

The late Wilson Barrett possessed a valuable old dresser who had the good fortune to be built on the same classic lines as Barrett himself, and accordingly inherited his master's cast-off clothes. One day something had upset Barrett at rehearsal, and he lost his temper. Every one stamped out of his way. He strode into his dressing room with flashing eyes, and so indignant did he feel that he incongruously dashed his hat with great violence into the corner of the apartment. The faithful dresser, who knew every mood of his master, was quite unperturbed. He merely exclaimed, in bland tones, but with a touch of reproof:

"Here, steady, gov'nor; I've got to wear that some day!"

Francis Bacon.

The death of Francis Bacon was caused by his devotion to the cause of research and scientific investigation. During one of his excursions to the country he conceived the idea that animal substances may be preserved by

## What Are Your Taxes?

And what are the laws that regulate them? Every one pays taxes in some form or another whether he owns property or not. They are the one thing that is absolutely certain in this life. And they are paid blindly by most of us. The laws that govern them have changed radically during the past two years. Have you looked up those new laws, and have you a copy of them where you can refer to it?

These tax laws are given in our new 1914 OHIO ALMANAC, brought right up to date. And the exceptional index prevents the slightest loss of time in finding them. There are 100,000 other facts of interest to you and to every resident of Ohio, listed and given in concise but comprehensive form in this new book. And among that 100,000 are a great many that it will be an actual hindrance to you some day not to know.

This book will be worth dollars to you whoever you may be.</